

"You are entering" signs can stay

The Ministry of Transportation and Communications is willing to allow the G-65 "You are now entering" Tourist Region Signs to stand until they fall, according to Joe Gleason with the traffic engineering division of the ministry, in Toronto.

Mr. Gleason noted that the MTC had decided that the signs could be left up, as they are, but that the ministry will not renew them in the future nor pay any subsidy for their replacement.

The individual tourist councils, in Haliburton County the Chamber of commerce, will have to "apply the entire shot if they want" the type of signing that identifies the boundaries of the Haliburton Highlands Tourist Region.

The Chamber of Commerce in the past has paid only \$3 per year towards the maintenance of these signs that come under provincial subsidy. The cost of erecting new signs, when the need arises, would be about \$225 or \$250,

according to figures reported in a recent letter from James snow, Transportation and Communications minister, to Bob Stinson, secretary manager of the Haliburton Chamber.

Mr. Gleason indicated that the signs last for two to five years, but said that he didn't know how long the present signs have been standing.

Mr. Stinson has recently made attempts to contact both the MTC and the Ministry of Industry and Tourism to object to the removal of the G-65 signs which are being phased out of existence in keeping with a new provincial tourist promotion package that signs the Central Ontario Travel Area rather than individual Tourist Councils what Mr. Stinson has referred to as a large and various area.

In his column, prepared for publication March 9, and appearing in last week's edition of this paper, Mr. Stinson wrote "Mr. Snow suggests that if we wish to

retain the signs we could do so by paying the actual cost of having signs made and erected, which works out to about \$225 to \$250 each. He fails to explain why we would be faced with putting up new signs at this cost when, of course, the signs are already there now and merely have to be left in place and maintained."

Mr. Stinson is referring to a passage in the letter he received from MTC minister, James Snow, that reads as follows: "The Ministry of Industry and Tourism has now advised that Tourist councils will be permitted to retain the existing Tourist Region signs if they wish to do so, but will have to pay the actual cost incurred in the future. However, the province will continue to subsidize the signing for the 12 new travel areas. As you are aware, the initial fee of \$15 and the annual fee of \$3 barely covers the administration costs of these signs". Mr. Snow's letter goes on to set out the cost of new signs

at \$225 to \$250 each.

Russ Bowdery, spokesman for the Ministry of Industry and Tourism, in his capacity as manager of its promotion and information branch, was asked to clarify what seemed to be a misunderstanding about the actual fate of the existing signs.

He acknowledged that there is some confusion and that there was some lack of communication between the two ministries, MTC, and Tourism, who have established a joint committee regarding signing.

Mr. Bowdery said that he had a letter from Mr. Bennett, Industry and Tourism Minister, on the issue of the same G-65 signs that was as ambiguous as Mr. Snow's letter to Mr. Stinson. He said that, as in Mr. Snow's letter, the minister had failed to indicate, in response to an appeal like Mr. Stinson's, that the cost quoted for the signs was meant to indicate that the signs were coming down and individual Tourist Councils

would have to erect new signs, or whether the cost is quoted in the event that a Tourist Council took over the maintenance of the signs and one day would have to see that they were replaced.

Mr. Bowdery noted that Tourism ministry was willing to let the signs stand, but without government subsidy.

He explained that as a part of "our overall tourist promotion program, that food, fuel and accommodation signs are more important", and that individual regions would be outlined in a travel encyclopedia to be distributed to visitors.

On behalf of the Haliburton Highlands and along with other areas, tourist councils within the Central Ontario Tourist Association program, being established by the province, Mr. Stinson has objected to the removal of the G-65 signs on the grounds that they are a very real way of noting

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Highway sign

"The role of the weekly newspaper is to mirror, faithfully and conscientiously, the community to the community, to provoke it where necessary, to praise it whenever possible, to defend it faithfully but always to serve it best by penetrating with the local news to a depth not possible with any other media."

From Vol. 1, Report of the Special Senate Committee on Mass Media, 1970.

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Spring could possibly be here with the warm temperatures recorded last week. Streams and lakes are showing the first sign of breaking up. Record temperatures were recorded all over Ontario with thermometers reaching as high as 60

degrees. For most people it was a welcome change after suffering a long cold winter in which a number of record low temperatures were reached.

Council could get \$12,000

Dysart Council has agreed to enter into a program in conjunction with the Ministry of the Environment concerning derelict cars.

The program will employ one person to locate the cars and tenders will be called for the removal of the vehicles. \$5,000 of the \$12,000, which may be available, will be used for

site development of an area to store the vehicles.

The council is not certain yet whether the program will be accepted this year by the Ministry.

Galway-Cavendish \$80,000 in default to school board

The Municipality of Galway - Cavendish has been forced to come up with an interim tax billing due to a default in

payment to the Peterborough County Board of Education of \$80,000 this year.

In a news release from the council it is stated, "If the council were to continue on with issuing one tax bill for the year on June 30, the first two levies from the school board, for 1977, due March 31, \$62,000 and June 30, \$62,000, would have been received, raising our total default position to \$204,000 before we start to receive the 1977 tax revenues."

Resident gets purse back — found in phone booth

A Carnarvon resident has a purse back thanks to an honest resident of Kilmount.

The purse, which was found in a Minden phone booth was turned over to a constable of the Minden detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police. The police report that the purse contained various personal papers and over \$256 which was still in the purse when it was returned.

The incident took place on March 11.

Livestock producers want vet for area

A representative of the Ministry of Agriculture will be discussing a request by the Haliburton County Livestock Producers Association for a government subsidized veterinarian in the Haliburton County area.

Dr. Coleman will be speaking at the monthly meeting of the Association which will be held March 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the Minden Community Centre.

The association has pointed out that there is a need for a veterinarian in the area to handle calls to local farms.

A release from the association states, "For all livestock owners this is an important item because right now we have to wait hours for a vet to come from Lindsay, if he will come, in that time our horse or cow could be dead."

It points out in the release that all interested persons are invited to attend the meeting.

Improvements will be made to 519 in years

Highway 519 will some day be improved but it may be some time before we ever see it.

Dysart Council received a schedule of when improvements will be made by the Ministry of Transportation and communications.

The schedule noted that from Highway 530 to Eagle Lake the pre-engineering will commence late this year to establish an improved alignment and grade. It pointed out that property acquisition, where necessary, can then be initiated in 1978 and reconstruction by day labour will follow at the rate of about three quarters of a mile a year.

"On several sections where improvements (namely; ditches, widening shoulder, granular base and mulch pavement) can be made within existing right - of -

way, we will attempt to complete about three quarter mile in 1977", the schedule stated.

On the Eagle Lake Bridge replacement is not programmed as existing bridge is structurally adequate.

On the section from Eagle Lake to Redstone Lake no reconstruction will be scheduled until work south of Eagle Lake is completed.

The council estimates the interest paid in 1971 and 1970 to

be at least an additional \$14,000.

Reeve Brickman said that he would not speculate why the payments to the board of education were behind or what happened to the money. He said that it is possible the money was put to some other use.

He also suggested that perhaps the problem started when one year the tax levy was not high enough to cover the cost of the school board as well as the regular work in the municipality.

Unfortunately introduction of this interim tax billing does not solve the real problem on a long term basis. It only minimizes the interest that we will pay to the school board this year by about \$10,000," the release stated.

Deputy Reeve Art Chambers pointed out at a council meeting last Saturday that the council has only traced the problem back to 1970. He added that the municipality has paid \$62,000 interest on \$80,000 owing to the board.

Reeve Brickman said the problem will be taken to the various ratepayers associations in the municipality and recommendations will be made to pay it over two or three years.

46 seniors attend drop-in meeting

Organizers of a meeting of senior citizens, held last week at the Haliburton Legion, feel here is a need for a senior citizen drop in centre type of facility.

There were 46 senior citizens in attendance, who agreed unanimously that there was a need for such a facility.

Rev. Trevor Denny, who chaired the meeting, told the group that there are many elderly persons living on their own in and near Haliburton without means of transportation.

"Many of our senior people in this community have nowhere to go except the restaurants where they have to spend money and cannot relax for a meaningful visit with friends," he said.

He pointed out that the Haliburton County Social Planning Council believes that a senior citizen drop-in centre is needed in the community.

Rev. Denny indicated to the meeting that several sites in Haliburton have been under consideration.

Among the places considered were a room under the library, which those at the meeting felt was too small, and the arena auditorium.

Reeve Murray Fearrey, who was in attendance at the meeting said that he would give his support to the group using the arena auditorium noting that the matter would be brought before council.

Serving on a committee to get the project going will be Arnold Fairrey of Haliburton, Clifford Barry, of Haliburton, Frank Hargreaves of Minden and Orval Austin of Haliburton.

The next meeting of the group will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. at the arena.

Baby bruised when struck by truck

A nine month old Harcourt baby received only bruises when a van struck a stroller she was in.

Jenny-Lynn Hughey, along with Lorraine Packard, 21, of Harcourt were taken to Bancroft Hospital after being struck by a van. There was \$50 damage to the stroller and \$25 damage to the van.

Harrison William Jones, 57, of Wilberforce, has been charged with careless driving.

HALIBURTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

December 31, 1976

TO THE HALIBURTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Haliburton County Board of Education as at December 31, 1976, the Revenue Fund Statement of Operations and the Capital Fund Statement of Operations for the year then ended. Our examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion these Financial Statements present fairly the financial position of the board as at December 31, 1976 and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted for Ontario school boards applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

DAWSON & GRAY
Chartered Accountants
Licence No. 404

BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1976
(with 1975 figures for comparison purposes)

ASSETS	1976	1975
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash	\$ 7,271	\$ -
Investments at cost	200,000	350,000
Accounts receivable		
Municipalities		
Supplementary taxes, etc	11,808	33,590
Other School Boards	14,941	22,837
Government of Ontario	139,561	89,826
Prepaid expenses	13,761	11,916
	<u>387,342</u>	<u>508,169</u>
CAPITAL OUTLAY to be recovered in future years	<u>1,823,500</u>	<u>1,940,900</u>
	<u>\$ 2,210,842</u>	<u>\$ 2,449,069</u>
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Bank and other short-term borrowing	\$ -	\$ 128,188
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		
Over-requisitions - (elementary)	6,993	8,282
Over-requisitions - (secondary)	13,037	19,929
Other School Boards	51,050	35,294
Other	116,262	116,476
	<u>187,342</u>	<u>308,169</u>
NET LONG-TERM LIABILITIES	<u>1,823,500</u>	<u>1,940,900</u>
RESERVE FOR WORKING FUNDS	<u>200,000</u>	<u>200,000</u>
	<u>\$ 2,210,842</u>	<u>\$ 2,449,069</u>

REVENUE FUND STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

FOR ELEMENTARY PURPOSES

For the year ended December 31, 1976
(with 1975 figures for comparison purposes)

	1976	1975
EXPENDITURE		
Business administration	\$ 63,905	\$ 63,301
Computer services	3,794	4,065
Instruction	1,457,243	1,171,083
Plant operation and maintenance	239,860	268,074
Transportation	295,014	262,007
Tuition fees	28,581	20,302
Other operating expenditures	18,091	9,153
Debt charges and capital loan interest	235,329	235,552
Non-operating expenditures	4,231	2,890
Total Expenditure	<u>2,346,048</u>	<u>2,036,427</u>
RECOVERY OF EXPENDITURE		
Other school boards - tuition fees	38,055	40,287
Government of Ontario - tuition fees	88,123	41,460
Other revenue	7,862	9,680
Total Recovery of Expenditure	<u>134,040</u>	<u>91,427</u>
Net Expenditure	<u>\$ 2,212,008</u>	<u>\$ 1,945,000</u>
FINANCING OF NET EXPENDITURE		
Government of Ontario		
General legislative grants	\$ 1,047,945	\$ 1,075,856
Local Taxation		
Previous year's over (under) requisition	8,282	(1,465)
Local taxation raised in current year	1,162,774	878,891
	<u>1,171,056</u>	<u>877,426</u>
To be applied to following year's taxation:		
Net under (over) requisition	(6,993)	(8,282)
Total	<u>\$ 2,212,008</u>	<u>\$ 1,945,000</u>
EXPENDITURE		
Business administration	\$ 44,408	\$ 42,201
Computer services	2,636	2,710
Instruction	902,504	795,651
Food services	59,280	55,590
Plant operation and maintenance	115,839	133,863
Transportation	182,431	156,554
Tuition fees	185,127	150,424
Other operating expenditure	12,572	6,102
Debt charges and capital loan interest	23,970	26,836
Non-operating expenditures	2,333	2,035
Total Expenditure	<u>1,531,100</u>	<u>1,371,966</u>

RECOVERY OF EXPENDITURE

Government of Ontario - tuition fees	25,358	27,702
Individuals - tuition fees	2,665	2,205
Other revenue	44,853	40,427
Total Recovery of Expenditure	<u>72,876</u>	<u>70,334</u>
Net Expenditure	<u>\$ 1,458,224</u>	<u>\$ 1,301,632</u>

FINANCING OF NET EXPENDITURE

Government of Ontario		
General legislative grants	\$ 650,816	\$ 666,437
Local Taxation		
Previous year's over (under) requisition	19,929	(20,835)
Local taxation raised in current year	800,516	675,959
	<u>820,445</u>	<u>655,124</u>

To be applied to following year's taxation:

Net under (over) requisition	(13,037)	(19,929)
Total	<u>\$ 1,458,224</u>	<u>\$ 1,301,632</u>

CAPITAL FUND STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the year ended December 31, 1976
(with 1975 figures for comparison purposes)

	1976	1975
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		
Fixed Assets and Work in Progress		
Buildings, furniture and equipment	\$ 27,996	\$ 84,247
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	<u>\$ 27,996</u>	<u>\$ 84,247</u>
CAPITAL FINANCING		
Unexpended funds at beginning of year - Elementary	\$ -	\$ 692
Capital expenditures from Revenue Fund	27,996	84,247
Transfer to Revenue Fund	-	(692)
Unexpended funds at end of year - Elementary	-	-
TOTAL CAPITAL FINANCING	<u>\$ 27,996</u>	<u>\$ 84,247</u>

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT

For the year ended December 31, 1976

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Accrual Accounting

The accrual method for reporting revenue and expenditure has been used with the exception of reporting of charges for net long-term liabilities. Principal and interest charges are not accrued from the due date of payment to the end of the fiscal year.

(b) Fixed Assets

Fixed Assets are charged to current expenditure unless financed by long-term debt. Principal and interest charges on net long-term liabilities are included in expenditure in the period due.

2. RESERVE FOR WORKING FUNDS

The reserve for working funds at December 31, 1976 is applicable to the elementary and secondary school operations of the board as follows:

Elementary	\$ 82,000
Secondary	118,000
	<u>\$ 200,000</u>

3. LIABILITY FOR SICK LEAVE BENEFITS

Under the sick leave benefit plan, unused sick leave can accumulate and employees may become entitled to a cash payment when they leave the board's employment.

These accumulated days, to the extent that they could be used to determine the cash payment to an employee on terminating, amount to \$243,100. No provision has been made on account of the sick leave benefit plan.

4. NET LONG-TERM LIABILITY REPAYMENTS

Of the net long-term liabilities outstanding of \$1,823,500 principal amounting to \$571,500 plus interest amounting to \$586,388 is payable over the next five years as follows:

	Principal	Interest	Total
1977	\$ 123,800	\$ 133,755	\$ 257,555
1978	110,600	125,149	235,749
1979	113,000	117,367	230,367
1980	122,100	109,372	231,472
1981	102,000	100,745	202,745
Total	<u>\$ 571,500</u>	<u>\$ 586,388</u>	<u>\$ 1,157,888</u>

5. ANTI-INFLATION ACT (CANADA)

Under an agreement between the Government of Ontario and the Government of Canada, authorized by the Anti-Inflation Agreements Act (1976), remuneration paid by an Ontario school board to its employees is subject to the provisions of the Anti-Inflation Act (Canada).

6. PRIOR YEARS' ADJUSTMENTS

The 1975 over-or under - requisition position of the various municipalities has been adjusted to give effect to a ruling by the Ontario Municipal Board issued on May 4, 1976 in regard to the 1975 apportionment.

The 1976 apportionment has also been appealed. No decision has been received to date.

Approved on behalf of the Board Chairman Richard A. Poole

Director of Education J. Douglas Hodgson

Cottage president questions Airport expense

Stanhope councillor Elgin Stouffer last Wednesday requested that Maple Lake Property Owners' Association President Art Wall be asked "what bothers him most, the \$3,000 that council allocated for the operation of the Stanhope airport in 1976, or the fact that there is an airport."

Mr. Stouffer indicated that he ran for council on a platform of holding the line on expenses, and said: "I can get rid of that \$3,000" but noted that it might mean going to Dysart for financial aid which would mean that Stanhope might lose some control over the airport and its development. At present, the property owners' associations in Stanhope have an assurance in writing from council that the airport is not to be expanded.

Mr. Stouffer's request came out of council's discussion with members of the Stanhope Airport Committee, of which he is council's representative, and because of a section in the February newsletter to Maple Lake Property Owners. In that letter, Mr. Wall speaks of the favourable position that Stanhope council is in with regard to assessment, "one in which better than 80 per cent of the tax monies collected come from assessments requiring few, if any services at all."

Mr. Wall continues: "Put it another way; the latest figures I have on the airport deficit show that airport is costing the taxpayers of Stanhope about \$3,000 a year. Isn't it nice to know (members of council) that better than \$2400 of that deficit is coming from the above mentioned assessment?"

Mr. Stouffer noted, "If we

get grants, we lose control." Jim MacLean of the Airport Committee and head of Air Haliburton, recently established at the Stanhope airport, pointed out that the \$3,000 "is not a deficit."

A proposal to charge parking fees for planes at the airport to increase the revenue was put aside during the discussion. Mr. MacLean explained "at the current rate of traffic, we won't make \$500" on tie-down fees, and there would be a \$2,000 increase in insurance.

Council discussed the resurfacing of the runway, and Mr. MacLean said "what we are looking for is the best we can get for the least we have to spend. That is what we have to do to draw in paying customers that might make the landing fee a good proposition." Dysart et al had made a commitment regarding cutting trees, fronting the airport in Guilford township, which will also increase the safety and possible use of the airport, it was noted.

It was stated that the \$3,000 amounts to only \$1 per assessment and represents 1.5 per cent of the tax levy. Reeve Sinclair Nesbitt said that it gave Stanhope something that was its own. Deputy Reeve Jim Harrison said that the "Maple Lake Property Owners' Association is not the only group that we are looking after in the township."

Mr. Stouffer's request to have Mr. Wall's position on the airport clarified was made so that Mr. Stouffer would have "direction from the electors" before the Stanhope budget meeting Monday night at which time the 1977 budget for the airport will be discussed.



Stanhope council made a tour of the new wooden bridge being installed at Big Hawk Landing by the property owners' association that maintains the private road. Council has no jurisdiction over the construction, nor does any other government body

set specifications for a private structure. They were interested, however, to see the work that has been in progress since January on the site where a collapsed culvert causeway completed last spring killed three people as it buckled.

Council stands pat, still wants crib-dock removed

An unauthorized crib-dock on Lake Kashagawigamog will still have to be removed as far as Anson, Hindon and Minden Council is concerned.

The crib-dock is owned by Norm Harrison Sr.

Steve Toole, a representative of the Ministry of Natural Resources, told the council that his ministry is mainly concerned about the operation of this nature in general.

He pointed out that not

this particular structure that they are totally concerned with "but it is the fact that there is a large potential along that shore of Kashagawigamog."

He noted that any kind of shoreline alteration will be

looked upon with great concern.

"I look at it for maintaining good fishery in this lake and in order to maintain the fishery the lake should stay in the same shape," Mr. Toole said.

He pointed out that "this one little thing is not going to change things much, but if it starts a trend we could have trouble."

Mr. Toole added that there are about seven similar lakes in the municipality and the problem could be faced on all of them.

He pointed out that it is easier for the municipality to deal with the problem than the Ministry.

Deputy Reeve Doug Pritchard said that the municipality said it would have to be removed and will "definitely have to stick by our guns."

Councillor Allan Coneybeare added that he would be afraid the council was setting a precedent if it allowed the structure to remain.

Reeve Reg Booth noted, "You have to take a stand on these things and it is as important to say no as it is to say yes."

Investigate 53 general occurrences

Members of the Minden detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police investigated 53 general occurrences and six motor vehicle collisions during the week of March 7 to 13.

There were two break-ins investigated, one compassionate message delivered, two persons charged with snowmobile violations and five persons charged with Liquor License Act offences.

Fine \$300

Thomas John Kelly, of Toronto, appeared before the Provincial Court, in Minden, March 8, for sentencing, on a plea of guilty to driving while prohibited and was fined \$300 and costs.

Fly-in at Stanhope airport

Plans for the June 5 Fly-In at Stanhope Airport are well under way, it seems, as detailed in a report brought to Stanhope council last week.

The Stanhope Airport Committee is making arrangements with a professional air show that will bring a number of airplane attractions including gliders and a comedy act to the Stanhope grounds.

The RCAF has also been approached to send a display of aircraft and perhaps a demonstration. It was noted that the emphasis is usually on planes, but that it doesn't have to be. Stanhope Reeve, Sinclair Nesbitt spoke of the day as one that is Stanhope's own.

14 days in jail

Gail S. Adams, now of Minden, and formerly of the West Guilford area, entered a plea of guilty to an impaired driving charge, at the Provincial Court in Minden, March 8 and was sentenced to 14 days in jail. The jail term is the minimum sentence provided under the criminal code for conviction on a second offence of impaired driving.

The charge was laid north of Minden on Highway 35.

Dismissed

Charges of impaired driving and having greater than .08 per cent alcohol in the blood, laid against Mykola Melnyk of Toronto, were dismissed in the Provincial court in Minden, March 8.

The charge was laid following an accident involving some \$1,000 worth of damage to Melnyk's car.

Fined \$170

Donald Clarence Cary of Tory Hill, was fined \$170, and court costs after a plea of guilty to impaired driving at the court in Minden, March 8. The offence occurred in the Tory Hill area.

Disqualified

Daniel Herbert Welsh, of Bancroft, was found guilty in

Two are charged with theft

The Minden detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police have charged two men with theft under \$200 in connection with theft of gasoline from a log truck parked in the area.

James Carl Reynolds, 23, of Haliburton and Roger Paul Desy, 26, of Fonthill, have been charged in connection with the incident. A Barrie Ontario man, Allan Kirkpatrick, 28, has been charged with break and enter in connection with an incident at an area cottage.

\$10,000 damage to tractor-trailer in vehicle crash last week

A 27-year-old Harcourt man escaped injury when a tractor-trailer he was driving went off Highway 648 just north of Highway 121, Tuesday, March 8.

There was \$10,000 damage to the vehicle driven

by William Windrem, after it struck guide rails and went down an embankment, jack-knifing at the edge of a lake.

The vehicle is owned by Martin Lumber. There was also \$200 damage to the guide rails.

A two vehicle accident Sunday sent the drivers to hospital with minor injuries.

Ivan H. Voiccy, 24, of Minden, and Evelyn B. Stevenson, 54, also of Minden, were both taken to Minden Hospital after the cars they were driving

collided on main Street in Minden at 12:15 a.m.

There was \$1,000 damage to each vehicle. Mrs. Stevenson has been charged with failing to share half of the roadway and failing to fasten complete seatbelt assembly.

There is no estimate of damages yet from a single vehicle accident on highway 121 east of Haliburton Village.

A van driven by Margaret Powell, 20, of Bancroft, rolled onto its side on the highway, after hitting an icy patch.

The accident took place at 7:30 Saturday morning.

Highway Signs

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and maintaining the identity of the individual regions.

According to both the MTC and the Ministry of Industry and Tourism, however, those signs are to remain standing "until they

become unsightly", Mr. Bowdery said. They will not be taken down only to put individual Tourist Councils in the position of "putting up new signs at this cost".

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Beaver MINDEN	LEE MARVIN ROGER MOORE SHOUT AT THE DEVIL BARBARA PARKINS - JAN HOLM - RENE KOLLEDOFF	SUDDEN FURY and the HOLY GRAIL



If you are employed and going to have a baby, you're entitled to pregnancy leave.

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We have a law in Ontario which permits any pregnant woman, married or not, to take a 17-week unpaid leave of absence from work to have her baby. This law covers part-time as well as full-time employees, provided that they have been working for the same employer for at least 63 weeks before the expected date of birth.

When she returns to work, the new mother is guaranteed the right to her former position or to a comparable position with no loss of seniority or benefits at the same salary. Naturally, pregnancy does not prevent an employee from being dismissed for valid reasons not connected with pregnancy, but pregnancy alone cannot be the cause of dismissal where an employee is eligible for leave.

An expectant mother is required to give two weeks' notice in writing of the day she intends to leave. She is entitled to begin her leave any time within 11 weeks before the baby's birth but she must take at least six weeks of her leave afterwards. If the employer wishes the employee to begin her leave before she wants to do so, the employer must prove that she is unable to perform her normal duties adequately.

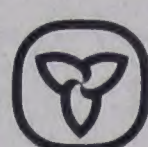
The employee is eligible for Unemployment Insurance

benefits during her pregnancy leave (even if she does not intend to resume work when her leave expires) if she had at least 20 weeks of ensured employment during the year before the birth. At least ten of the 20 weeks should have fallen between the 30th and the 50th weeks before the birth.

If you would like more information about pregnancy leave or other labour legislation of interest to working women, write to:

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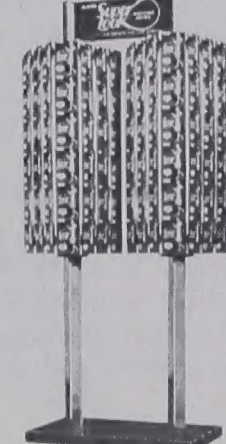
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Echo editorials

Need for senior citizens' drop-in centre in village

A few years ago, everyone seemed to have the idea that when a person became old or disabled the thing to do was to shove them aside and forget all about them. But today in 1977, this has all changed and most people are taking a different view of our older citizens. We have here in Haliburton County the Hyland Crest Senior Citizens Home in Minden and Extencicare in Haliburton. Both of these places are serving a direct need in these two communities.

At the present time we have many older people in Haliburton County who are living alone and very lonely with no place to go. Many of our Senior Citizens in the community at the present time have nowhere to go except the restaurants, where they have to spend money and cannot relax for a meaningful visit with friends.

Many of these people only get out possible once a week to go shopping and to pick up the mail. They are not getting out of the house enough for friendship.

Rev. Trevor Denny of St. George's Anglican Church here in Haliburton who has been really concerned and this concern is being shared by the local social planning council that a senior citizens drop-in centre is needed in Haliburton.

Extencicare-Haliburton have offered to help in this area and are trying to supply programmes for senior citizens, but these are at special times. They agree that it will be very good and helpful if there was a drop-in centre at a central location in Haliburton.

The people involved in this crusade to have a drop-in centre up to this time have met with little or no success. As one person remarked it's like bumping your head up against a brick wall.

It was hoped that the new drop-in centre could be a part of the new curling rink when it is constructed in the near future, but we learn with regret that this will not be possible.

To show just what interest there seems to be in a drop-in centre, over 60 people turned up at a meeting held recently at the Legion Hall in Haliburton. Since that time we are glad to report that a temporary place has been found and this will be in the Auditorium at the Haliburton Arena.

It is the hope of everyone that in the not too distant future that senior citizens will have a permanent building of their own run by a senior citizens couple.

We must always keep in mind that we will all be senior citizens some day and wouldn't it be nice to think that when that time comes we will have some place to go to play cards, shuffleboard or watch movies or just to sit and have a cup of coffee and meet and talk with all of our old friends.

Exchange program works

The Haliburton Rotary Club has run many projects over the years, Carnivals, fund raising projects and now is attempting to raise money to repair the Dysart Arena.

Of all the projects though, probably the most interesting, and one of the most worthwhile is the student exchange program.

This program not only gives local students the opportunity to travel to other countries and learn about other cultures, it gives local families the opportunity to learn about other cultures and life without really leaving Haliburton County.

Four to six families get a chance to make a foreign exchange student a part of their life for a few months everytime a new student is part of the program.

While the student is learning about our way of life, the families get an insight into the way of life the student is use to living in.

The program, although small, is a way to create better understanding among mankind throughout the world, and the Rotary exchange and many other programs like it will help make the world a better place to live.

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Pic of the Past

Our Pic of the Past this week shows lumbering operations for the William Laking Lumbering Company of Haliburton under the supervision of Ed Robertson. The above photo was taken in February 1922 on East Bay, Drag Lake about six miles east of Haliburton village. Shown from left to right Oliver Bradimore, Norland Vinton Loucks, Minden, Val Hoxie, Haliburton, William Gliddon, Sr., Haliburton. Our thanks to Vinton Loucks of Minden for supplying us with this photo.

Haliburton Highlights

BY CREIGHTON FEIR

Jennifer Bowen, an exchange student from South Africa is presently with the Ken Langdon family at Haliburton. Jennifer along with approximately 40 other exchange students were off to Ottawa last week for a tour of the city and the parliament buildings.

I have been a member of the Rotary Club of Haliburton for many years and am at present on a leave of absence. Sue McLaughlin one of our Echo reporters has covered two recent Rotary Meetings for the paper. One local Rotarian was heard to remark that we should try and get Feir out of the club and put Sue in his place as she is much better looking.

We are sorry to report that Norm Greenfield's father passed away last week. We offer our sincere sympathy to the family.

The Kinsmen Club of Haliburton held their installation of officers at their regular meeting at the Ol' Barn last Tuesday night.

The Paul Harris Fellowship award was presented to Olga Black in memory of the late Harold Black at a recent meeting of the Rotary Club of Haliburton. Harold was a past President of our club and past District Governor. Harold was a long time resident and businessman in Haliburton. A first class citizen in every respect.

Jim Leworthy, business administrator for the Haliburton County Board of Education was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Haliburton County Social Planning Council which was held at the United Church in Haliburton. Jim gave an enlightening address, outlining the duties of the Ontario Municipal Board, the grants, levies, tax structure, how the money is collected and how it is spent. He was suitably

thanked by Ernie Eakins. Peggy Neville also spoke about the need for a Senior Citizens' Club, in our area, that would be open daily.

John Eakins, M.P.P., for Victoria-Haliburton will be available to meet with citizens of Haliburton County. If you have any problems or concerns, or simply wish information concerning any of the provincial government ministries, please feel free to drop into Minden on Friday, March 18th, 1977 from 2-6 p.m. He will be at Haliburton on Monday, March 21, 1977 from 2-6 p.m. at the Municipal Building and in Wilberforce on Tuesday, March 22, 1977 in the Board Room of the Lloyd Watson Memorial Centre from 2-6 p.m.

We were certainly pleased to see that old trooper Frank McIntyre back in the entertainment business when he sang and played his ukelele to entertain the people present at the first birthday party held at Extencicare recently.

The human race is divided into two classes - those who go ahead and do something and those who sit and enquire "Why wasn't it done this way."

The Sportsman's Show is on in Toronto and many local citizens will be taking in this great attraction.

Earl MacDuff, a member of Alcoholics Anonymous from Haliburton will be the guest speaker when the Brotherhood of Anglican Churchmen hold their monthly Communion and Breakfast at St. George's Anglican Church this coming Sunday, March 20th at 8 a.m. Earl is a most interesting speaker and well worth hearing. Let's have a big turnout at this service.

Editor's notebook

BY JIM BADGLEY



Spring must really be here. The hockey season is winding down, Snowarama is just a part of history and the school board has set its apportionments for 1977.

We can smell it in the air, or at least see it in the streets, people last week were wandering around in light jackets and sweaters, looking up at the sunny sky and wondering just what was happening.

The winter was long and cold and suddenly last week we got a glimmer of hope, or should I say sunshine and warm weather. Not only was it a great indication of things to come but it also was a chance for some of the snow to melt.

With the melting of snow though, I am afraid that the Badgley family will have a little cleanup on our hands. Just before winter started we acquired a couple of dogs. At first they were small puppies, not really that much of a problem, a little bit of a mess here and sometimes a little bit bigger mess there.

The messes get on you a bit though, especially when you tend to walk around the house in your socks. So like all good pet owners we set out on a program to train the dogs.

We figured our dogs were a little smarter than the average pooches, so the training wouldn't be all that difficult, well it really wasn't.

The problem now is what will happen to the little messes that have become big messes and are laying in various layers of snow in front of our house.

As the snow melts these layers get closer and closer together and eventually will end up in a pile on top of the grass. One can only estimate how many messes there really are on the front lawn. A good guess would be in the neighbourhood of 300 messes on the lawn. To put in the proper perspective, I would likely be upset if suddenly one afternoon 300 dogs showed up at our place and all did a little job just outside of our front door.

Letters to the editor

Dear Sir:

My first re-action to your editorial, 'Summer residential', February 23rd, was: oh no! not again, since it wasn't too long ago that I felt obligated to answer a similar editorial of yours (November) and have talked with members of The Echo staff regarding the same subject many times. But yes, again I must respond to your editorial and the inaccuracies it displays. Before doing so, however, may I suggest that, in my opinion, a paper that is supposed to be the 'voice' of Haliburton County (and therefore everything that has brought the present degree of prosperity to the county) should also be adding its pressure to the already significant pressure of associations all over Ontario in resisting what is an appallingly unfair and unjust direction for zoning legislation to take, and thereby assist harassed townships like Stanhope to stand up to a provincial government that, once again, wants the municipal governments to do its dirty work.

The basic injustice in a 'seasonal' designation is its attempt to deprive a ratepayer paying full taxes from receiving full services. Now, setting aside all the protests that a municipality cannot afford to provide those services, who in a democratic country can truthfully argue that point? The township councils concerned know, of course, that they will never be called upon to provide all those services but if, in the wildest stretch of the imagination, they were, then who would pay the resulting increase? The same ratepayers who are paying it now. But the financial scales are heavily loaded in favour of the townships.

I have been a ratepayer in Stanhope since 1953. My taxes are seventy five times higher now than they were then. There were no by-laws preventing people from living 'permanently' in cottages at that time and, since the township's Restricted Area By-Law is not yet in force, there are none now, so your comment "People buy property with full knowledge of its zoning designation" is in error. Some of Stanhope's residents bought property with the full intention of using it for retirement but the vast majority of its assessment will never demand the services of which you speak. My cottage, along with sixteen others, is on a private road which have never been either plowed in the winter, or graded in the summer by the township. The property owners concerned pay for these services in addition to their township taxes. Because their properties are located on the lakeshore, the assessed value of the land is higher, even though we are told by two waffling levels of government that we don't own that land in front of our properties - the lakeshore which resulted in the higher assessment!

No, Mr. Editor, 'summer residential' designation in the area is not a step in the right direction. I suggest a step in the right direction for you would be to appreciate the tremendous impact - financial, social, political - cottagers contribute to an area and add your voice and the power of your newspaper to theirs in a united opposition to an injustice.

Very sincerely,
A.D. Wall,
Pres., M.L.P.O.A.

Dear Sir:

I read with considerable interest the remarks from the Editor's Notebook in the Echo publication of March 2nd concerning the 'New Arena' project in Monmouth. Your 'Hat's Off' tribute to community effort can only be encouraging for sustained effort in the future and the continued support of your paper a bolster in the campaign endeavours which lie ahead. The forthcoming activities will be many and varied and guaranteed fun, excitement, and satisfaction for all; - that ever rewarding sense of accomplishment and 'having been there feeling'. Participation is the name of the game.

And yet, quizzically, the suggestion of doubt implied by the 'ifs' in the write up, could lend a note of discouragement to some areas faced with a similar situation. Sure the road is not smooth, and the difficulties are many, but a negative approach is too energy consuming. Let's be positive; - Monmouth and area citizens are.

Our first arena was built in 1951 at a cost of \$25,000.00, and at that time was the second arena in Ontario to be totally paid for on opening night. Admittedly, the \$50,000.00 now required is no small amount of money, but this is twenty six years later. The committee members are convinced that it can be done and are seeking whole hearted support. The average age of the recreation committee members is 42, while that of the council members is just 38. Their enthusiasm is contagious. Join the team and hop aboard.

They have an oldster like myself looking forward to participating in the Skate-a-thon on March 18th. Think of it, 'being there' in the last Skate-a-thon in the Arena that has served the area so well over the years. My backers are optimistic and figure that I am good for fifty laps.

Should we become unduly involved and overly concerned with the trials and debates of the past and present, we shall have already lost to the future.

Yours truly,
Murray Agnew,
Wilberforce, Ontario.

This and That

BY JENNIFER WOODS



In the book NutriScore by Ruth Fremes and Dr. Zak Sabray there is a recipe for a cheese cake which is low in fats and tastes just great.

CHEESE CAKE

Crust -
 3/4 cup crushed graham wafers
 3 tbspn. finely chopped pecans
 1 tbspn. wheat germ
 1/4 tspn. cinnamon
 1 tbspn. skim milk powder
 2 tbspn. Blended Butter (recipe in one of my previous columns)
 Combine the ingredients and press into a pan. Set aside for filling.

Filling -
 2 egg whites
 1 lb. 2% cottage cheese
 3/4 cup sugar
 1 tspn. vanilla extract
 1 whole egg
 1 tbspn. corn starch
 1 tspn. lemon extract
 1/2 cup yogurt
 Combine all the ingredients, except the yogurt, in a large blender. Blend for 1 minute or until all the ingredients are blended smoothly. Pour into the crust and bake at 375 F. for 10 minutes. Use a 8 x 8 spring form pan. Lower oven to 225 F. and continue baking for 1 hour. At 45 minutes of baking time open oven and spread yogurt over cake. After time is up turn off and leave the cake in the oven to cool. Refrigerate. Cut into 1 inch square. Serves 8 - 10. Cake can be topped with fresh fruit or fresh fruit glazed with gelatin.

Lately, I have been really turned off the prepackaged jelly powders. They contain artificial flavour and artificial colour. Why not make your own? Use the left over juice from canned fruit or from orange, apple, or grape juice. For two cups of fruit juice add 1 1/2 tablespoons of gelatin. It's easy and is much more convenient.

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Hon. Harry C. Parrott, DDS, Minister
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COUNTY ECHO FAMILY

Maple Lake News

by Ada Gibbs

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hodgson of the North Shore Road, have returned home from Florida and report having had a restful and a most enjoyable holiday.

The best wishes of the community, for a speedy recovery, go to Mrs. Victoria Packard who is convalescing at her home after surgery in the Civic Hospital, Peterborough.

Mrs. Roy McPhail who has been at home here for the last few weeks, has had to return to Civic Hospital, Peterborough, for further treatment. Roy's friends and neighbours sympathize with him in this troublesome time.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Limebeer (nee Pat Redner) are the proud parents of a fine 8 lb. baby boy. This is their first child, but a second grandchild for Clarence and Hughena Redner. Congratulations to both families.

Friends of Mrs. Herb

Materials testing program

Canada's first full-time post-secondary materials testing program will produce its first graduates in June, 1977, and it is expected they will have most or all of the academic requirements for federal certification in several non-destructive testing (N.D.T.) fields.

Kris Seshadri, materials testing lecturer at Sir Sandford Fleming College of Applied Arts and Technology, in Peterborough, Ont., said the 10-month program has a strong N.D.T. bias, and will probably provide graduates with enough information to meet Canadian Government Certification Board standards in liquid penetrant inspection (L.P.I.), magnetic particle inspection (M.P.I.), ultrasonic inspection (U.I.), and radiographic inspection (R.I.).

About a year of on-the-job experience will be needed after graduation to meet the practical requirements for certification.

He noted the 15 students currently enrolled in the 1200-hour program will have received a total of about 600 hours of practical instruction in the fields of materials science and destructive and non-destructive testing alone. Included is a major project requiring them to outline detailed plans for establishing and operating an independent testing facility or field inspection operation.

In addition to formal lectures and practical work, students are making extensive use of programmed instruction manuals and multi-media instruction packages produced by General Dynamics (N.A.S.A.).

The program, which has received Canadian Society for Non-Destructive Testing endorsement, is designed to give students a versatile background so they may adapt to the work generally carried out in engineering testing laboratories, Mr. Seshadri said.

Obituary

Harvie James Armstrong

Harvie James Armstrong of Bothwell, Ontario passed away suddenly on March 6th, 1977 at the Town County Hospital in Newbury. He was the beloved husband of Gladys Marion Kippen and dear father of Mary Armstrong who is presently in Texas, Peter Armstrong of Toronto, Nancy Woodall of Haliburton, Christopher Armstrong of London, Ont. A fine grandfather to Jessica Woodall and brother of Mrs. Marjorie Lewis and Mr. Fred Armstrong both of Toronto.

Jack, as he was known to most people, made many fine friends when he lived in Haliburton from 1967-73, and taught at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School. We know he will be sadly missed by all who knew him.

Fountain are sorry to learn she is not as well as usual, and hope she soon feels better. Now that spring is coming, Annie, perhaps the glorious sunshine and balmy breezes will make you feel like a new woman.

The ice fishermen at the foot of Maple Lake had a bee Saturday morning and moved their huts off the lake. Stewart Dawson looked rather lonely sitting out on the ice fishing after his hut was moved. The winter fishing wasn't always

as good as it might have been because it was always the big ones that got away.

Corporal S. Konowalchuk of Greenwood N.S., now on a leadership training course at Camp Borden, spent the weekend with relatives at Minden and West Guilford, the Drydales and the Morrisons.

Syrup making is the order of the day now. Those who have tapped report a good run of sap. It seems earlier than usual so maybe it

means an earlier spring.

The March meeting of St. Peter's A.C.W. met at the home of Isabelle Gibbs last Wednesday, with an attendance of 14 members and one guest. Four more heavy quilts are ready for shipment as well as a wealth of infants wear. We are very grateful to Mrs. Albert Carr who assists Miss Phrona Sisson in this part of our knitting. It just amazes us when we see their display of work. Many thanks Phrona and Brittie.

Further comments on the unusual winter temperatures in the fruit district in Florida. One can see why orange and grapefruit prices are so high, as whole orange groves stand with oranges hanging on naked branches and the ground under the trees covered with fruit also. The fruit cannot be sold as it is woody. Apparently the grapefruit withstood the frost a little better. The trees are just now beginning to leaf out again - another sign of spring, eh?

Wilberforce news and notes

by Jacqueline Scott and Margaret Jean Daniels

Checking up on our Wilberforce friends in the hospital. Nora Billings is in the Civic Hospital. She has had her operation and is looking fine.

Art Saunders is looking fine, though he is still in the Civic Hospital, maybe he will be able to come home this week-end if the weather permits. Marion Scott was in St. Joseph's Hospital and came through her operation just fine, and came home the morning of Wednesday, March 9th.

We wish all our friends a speedy recovery and hope the weather remains warm.

The Wilberforce Legion is having a benefit dance this Saturday for Elmer and Marion Scott.

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County sports

BY JIM BADGLEY



The Haliburton Huskies' bubble finally burst. After having a 3-1 lead in games in their best of seven series with Lakefield, Haliburton dropped three in a row, including one that was lost in the dying seconds and now have reached the sidelines.

The regular season for Haliburton was nothing short of disastrous. The team, after winning its first game, had trouble winning many more and lost a number of close contests with the top clubs in the league.

I remember around Christmas, in this column I said that Don Lloyd, the clubs manager would like to get a couple of gifts from Santa, some high scoring forwards. Well, of Santa came through with Tim Bain and Tom Curry, who both seemed to give the team a lift.

The Huskies made it out of the league basement in the final couple of weeks of the schedule and then knocked off Bobcaygeon in the quarter finals displaying the best hockey the club had played all season.

Bobcaygeon was without a doubt one of the teams to beat. They were big and strong, but when it all came down in the end, not as big or strong as Haliburton, and certainly not showing the desire the Huskies showed.

After knocking off Bobcaygeon, I for one of many figured that Lakefield would not be as tough to beat. It didn't look like Lakefield was going to be much of a match for the high flying Huskies. Haliburton started the series right, with a win in Lakefield. The club came back home and made the series 2-0 then lost a game in Lakefield only to come back and all but clinch the series with a win.

A loss in Lakefield in the fifth game of the series was expected and most supporters felt that Haliburton would come home and finish the series off on their own ice.

After 59 minutes and 47 seconds of the sixth game, it appeared that Haliburton had done just that, leading the game 1-0 but a goal with just 12 seconds remaining by Lakefield evened the count and sent the game into overtime. Lakefield went on to score in overtime giving them the opportunity of having the seventh game of the series on their home ice.

The Huskies provided hockey fans in Haliburton with a great deal of excitement and with a number of young players on the team look like they will be contenders again next year.

Wilberforce comes back to defeat Minden

A strong second period wasn't enough for a Minden Atom team as they went down to defeat at the hands of Wilberforce in the Monmouth Minor Hockey Tournament played Sunday.

Monmouth got on the scoresheet first at 7:43 of the opening period when Tyler Bousfield scored from Donnie Maharie and Danny Coghlan.

Minden evened the count at 3:09 of the second frame when Jeff Howe scored unassisted.

Wilberforce went into the lead at 6:01 when Coghlan scored from Maharie and Bousfield.

Minden got rolling one minute later when Larry Anderson scored from Howe.

An unassisted goal by Minden's Mike Gorveatt

Wilberforce wins with late goals

Three goals in the last six minutes of the game gave Wilberforce a 6-5 win over Minden in the Bantam division of the Monmouth Minor Hockey Tournament played Sunday.

Wilberforce got on the scoresheet first when Robert Scott scored from Ben Mathews at the 59 second mark.

A goal by Kenton Martin just 43 seconds later gave Wilberforce a 2-0 lead. Scott and Doug Tallman assisted on the play.

Apsley got back on the scoresheet in the final minute of the period on a goal by Scott Jeff with assist going to Randy Tucker and Ian Welton.

Durwood Whitmore evened the count for Apsley at 8:45 of the second period on a play from David Wilson and Joe Doxey.

Doxey combined with Wilson and Whitmore one minute later to give Apsley the lead in the contest.

An unassisted goal by Tallman evened the count for Wilberforce with just 1:50 remaining in the middle frame.

Apsley got the lead back with just 15 seconds to play in the period when Tucker scored unassisted.

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Goal in last minutes gives Minden win

A goal with only 29 seconds remaining in the game gave Minden Bantam B's a 2-1 win over Cannington and the consolation championship in the Bantam tournament played in Minden Saturday.

Minden got on the scoresheet first when Charles Austin scored from Joey Graham at 6:21 of the first period.

Tues. Combines led by Pearl Foster

Pearl Foster once again came out high in the Tuesday night Combines bowling standings, March 8, leading the way with a triple of 782 from games of 250, 245 and 287.

More than a hundred points behind, next in line was Millie Beatty who bowled 253, 230 and 190 for a good high triple of 673. Third in the standings was Art Beatty with 223, 219 and 211, for 653.

Bob Patton rolled 253, 213 and 181 for a triple of 647,

Haliburton came up with only two wins in the Glen Dart Memorial Hockey Tournament held Saturday afternoon at the Dysart Arena.

Haliburton Midgets downed Ops 5-0, the pees came up with a 4-0 win over Wilberforce.

In the bantam division

Wilberforce downed Haliburton 4-3, Minden won the atom division 3-1 over Haliburton, Wilberforce won the novice I division 3-2 and Minden took the novice II division 3-0.

In a special tyke game the red team beat the blue squad 2-1.

Scoring in the tyke game



There was plenty of action at the Dysart Arena last Saturday when a number of hockey teams took to the ice for the annual Glen Dart Memorial Hockey

where Ronny Perrin with two for the red team and Erin Nicholls picking up the blue team's goal.

In the Novice II division Glen Hall scored all three Minden goals. Shane Burch picked up an assist on the first marker.

Andrew Burke recorded

the shut-out.

Mike Rutter counted all three goals for Wilberforce in the novice I division while Robert Thibideau and Jeff Popple scored for Haliburton. Paul Kuno picked up an assist for Haliburton in the game.

In the atom B game Jack

Prentice, Jeff Howe and Mike Gorveatt scored for Minden. Len Johnston scored the only Haliburton goal with an assist going to Rod Sisson.

Carl Rowbotham led the way for Haliburton in the pee wee division scoring two goals. One goal was assisted by Shane Yateaman and the other was assisted by Paul Vuksic.

Other Haliburton scorers were Vuksic and Jim Bird from Janet Barry.

In the bantam division Wilberforce got two goals by Ben Mathews, one unassisted and Jamie Rogers helping on the other, in coming up with a 4-3 win.

Other Wilberforce scorers were Lyle Donaldson unassisted and Derrick French from Donaldson.

Haliburton scorers were Darren MacInnes with two, with Scott Welch assisting on both plays and Phil Mackie scoring the other goal from Ken Espie.

In the midget division Haliburton got goals from Terry Robinson from Jim Alden and Brian Mulholland unassisted in the first period. In the second period Phil Smith picked up the only goal unassisted and in the third period Chris Roberts scored from Smith and Smith scored from Roberts.

Keith Smith recorded the shutout.

Huskies lose 7-4

First period penalties cost Haliburton game

The Haliburton Travelways Huskies ran into a series of first period penalties that cost the team three goals and ended up losing the final game of their best of seven semi-final series in Lakefield 7-4.

The game was played last Wednesday, in Lakefield. Haliburton picked up eight minor penalties in an eight minute stretch in the first period starting at the

seven minute mark. During that time Lakefield picked up three power play goals, their margin of victory in the contest.

Lakefield got on the scoresheet first, at 9:08 of the period when Bob Hunt scored from Frank Young and Greg Tivy. Haliburton had Ernie Bain and Tim Oram in the penalty box at the time. Lakefield was

playing with one man in the box.

Lakefield's second marker came at 9:48 with Haliburton playing two men short. By that time Andy Salvatori had joined Oram in the box. Paul Graham was credited with the marker from Steve King and Randy Freeburn.

Lakefield picked up its third straight powerplay goal at 13:20 of the opening period when Steve Spencer

connected from Steve Hardill. Randy Barras was serving two minutes for high sticking at the time.

Haliburton finally got on the scoresheet with just 35 seconds to play in the period with a powerplay marker of their own. Joe Roberts with given credit for the score with assists going to Ernie Bain and Tom Curry.

Lakefield picked up the only goal in the middle frame when Doug Shannon scored from Spencer and King.

Shannon scored again at the 1:27 mark of the third period to give Lakefield a 5-1 lead on a play from Brian Hockaday and Hunt.

A third goal by Shannon increased Lakefield's lead to 6-1. Spencer and Hardill assisted on the play.

A string of penalties by Lakefield in the final period set the stage for a Haliburton comeback.

Bernie Nicholls made the score 6-2 when he fired a goal on a play from Curry and Oram at 4:27.

Joe Roberts pulled Haliburton within three goals at 10:28 with Oram and Nicholls picking up assists.

A goal by Oram at 12:34 put the game within reach

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Wilberforce downs Haliburton novices

The Wilberforce Novices edged Haliburton Novices 5-4 in that division of the Monmouth Minor Hockey Tournament played in Wilberforce Sunday.

Wilberforce got on the scoresheet at the 40 second mark of the second period when Mike Rutter scored from Steve Hunter.

With just 49 seconds to play in the period Wilberforce's Rutter connected from Timmy Hunter to give the team a 2-0 lead.

Haliburton got back into the game a 1:11 of the final period when Tony Hartin scored from Scott Poole and Barry Scully.

Less than one minute later Wilberforce took a two goal lead again on a goal by Craig McHarrie from Chris Agnew.

Haliburton got back in the contest at the 5:12 mark of the period on a goal by Hartin from Eoin Ross.

Rutter's third goal of the game gave Wilberforce a two goal lead again on a play from Steve Hunter.

An unassisted goal by Haliburton's Ross at 8:17 narrowed the gap again to one goal.

Wilberforce's Brian Hopwood scored the eventual winner with just 4:43 remaining to play with an assist going to McHarrie.

Jeff Walker scored for Haliburton with 3:58 remaining to set the stage for an exciting finish. Paul Kuno assisted on the play.

Only one penalty was called in the game and was taken by Wilberforce.

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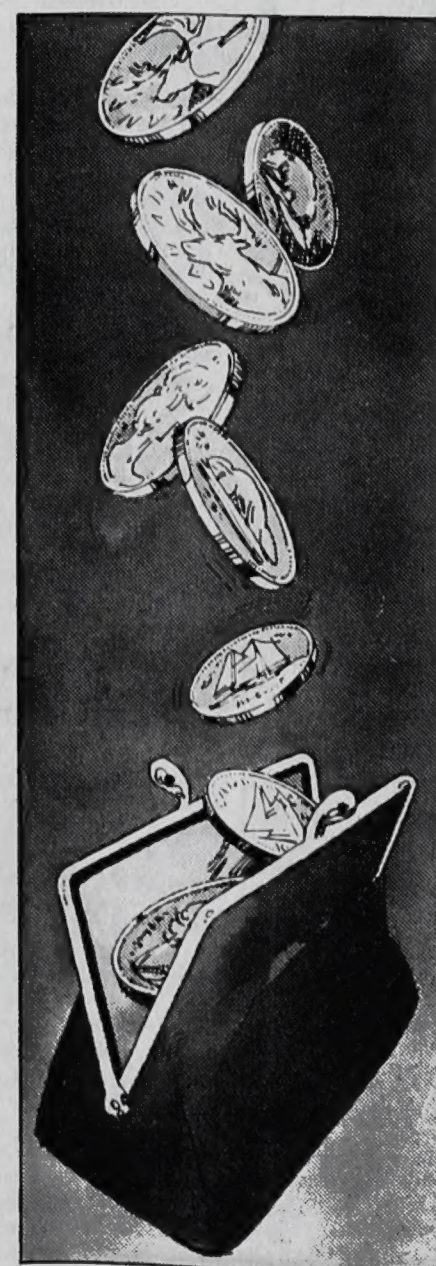
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Bancroft take championship



Minden wins consolation

Minden Atoms win

With a win on Sunday the Minden Yake Electric Red and White Atoms have won their series against Ops by three games to one, suffering their only loss of the season Friday night.

In the third game of the series, played in Minden, the O.M.H.A. Minden Atoms went down to Ops by a final score of 3-1.

The scoring opened in the second period as Minden's Scott Yake fired in the first goal assisted by Scott Hamilton, just 12 seconds into play.

Comeback

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A goal by Wilson from Doxey, at the midway mark of the third period, seemed to lock things up for Apsley, but all it did was set the stage for a comeback by Wilberforce.

Mark Kennedy put Wilberforce within one goal with 5:24 remaining, on a play from Scott and Martin.

Lyle Donaldson evened the count with 3:04 remaining when he combined with Kennedy and Jamie Rogers. Mathews scored the winning goal with just one second showing on the clock. The goal was unassisted.

Only two penalties were called in the contest with both going to Wilberforce.

Ops was kept away from the net until the third period, when at 1:16 Ops captain Tim Siddle, assisted by Donnie Quackenbush, scored a tying goal.

Bill Quackenbush scored for Ops at the 7:05 mark, and Don Quackenbush and Siddle again teamed up to score the final goal with six minutes to go.

Ops played a rough game, taking 10 minutes in penalties. Minden was handed out a total of eight minutes in the box.

Sunday, the Minden Atoms travelled to Ops to reverse the score and take the playoff round.

The 3-1 match was scoreless until Scott Yake found the net one minute into the second period, with an assist going to Kevin Warburton.

Minden pulled ahead to a two point lead in the middle of the third frame as Scott Hamilton picked a corner of the net on a play from Doug Schell and Paul Walker.

Ops managed a goal with just 56 seconds remaining in the game, on an unassisted shot by Tim Siddle.

With only five seconds on the clock, Minden's Scott Hamilton got his second goal of the game, letting the puck fly into Ops' empty net.

That clinched the series for Minden. The next step in the playoffs has not been settled. Minden may face a round robin with Bobcay-

geon and Fenelon Falls, or may receive a by into a final round with the winner of a series between the other two teams.

Minden will play at home Friday at 7:00 if the expected round robin is set up. Watch the arena for announcements.

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Minden tourney - results

The Minden Bantam B's dropped their first game of a tournament played at the Minden Arena Saturday but went on from there to win two more and take the Consolation championship.

Bancroft Bantams scored a total of 24 goals in three games to take the championship division.

Minden made it to the consolation championship after losing to Fenelon Falls 6-2. Minden downed Omeme 5-0 in the second game and then squeaked a 2-1 win over Cannington in the finals.

Bancroft downed Cannington 4-0 in their first game, then beat Uxbridge 10-3 in the second round and finally downed Fenelon Falls 10-2 in the finals.

In other first round action Lindsay downed Omeme 6-2 and Uxbridge downed Ops 2-0.

In other second round action Cannington beat Ops 3-1 and Fenelon Falls beat Lindsay 6-3.

Maple Lake bowling

Harry's Hornets are still on top although Ron's Rollers took one game off them. Audrey's Angels couldn't get off the ground and Ev's Avengers swept over them for 7. Wessex Gassers got refueled and cleaned out Dan's Dynamos. Team standings at end of 5 weeks, Harry's Hornets 29; Ev's Avengers 26; Ron's Rollers 16; Audrey's Angels 14; Dan's Dynamos and Wessex Gassers 10 points.

Tim Hughes was the big gun for the night with 750 (284, 275); Harry Henderson 746 (306, 224); Ed Cox 733 (256, 244); Cliff Burke 733 (289, 226); Ronnie Robinson 703 (256, 250); Ev Stata 699 (262, 226); Fred Cox 690 (249, 223); Dan Harding 689 (263, 252); Wes Stata 688 (253, 249); Marnie Robinson 652 (249, 227); Dorothy Ann Robinson 628 (253, 205); Ron Robinson 624 (243, 217); Martha Harding 605 (226, 208).

High single games: Walt Ackersblade 243; Rick Harding 217; Marlene Cook 216; Loretta Henderson 215; Wendy Kirkpatrick 206; Garth Henderson 205; Barb Fountain 204; Albert Cox 202.

Lakefield wins bonspiel at Haliburton rink

Sunday was a busy day at the Curling rink when 8 double rinks from Peterborough, Lindsay, Lakefield, Cannington, Minden and Fenelon met to decide OCA Dist. 4 title. In the preliminary rounds our good Haliburton rinks eliminated Peterborough Golf - Lakefield beat out Lindsay - Peterborough Curling beat Minden and Fenelon took Cannington.

In the next round Lakefield won a squeaker from Haliburton. Fenelon won from Peterborough Curling. The final went right down to the final end with Lakefield beating Fenelon. Great curling was the order. Haliburton had two fine rinks going with Dave Bishop's Skyline winners of Murray Kuno as Vice and Bob McNaul and Dave Gray on the front end, and Bob Colliver's rink of Dick McLean, Clark Bailey and John Wilson.

The Governor-General's is a very interesting competition to play and to watch. Two rinks from each Club play on adjoining sheets of ice, ten ends, and total score of the two rinks determines the winner. Strategy is part of any curling game but in double rink exceptionally so, as at times you will see suspended action on one sheet while the skips watch to see an end building or finishing on the next sheet before deciding how to play their shots. The ice was good after being threatened by a summery week of weather - the hospitality was typical Haliburton and a great day of curling. Last Saturday, Bob Colliver's rink of wife Jean, Clark Bailey and Karen O'Connor visited Fenelon for a mixed spiel - won 3 games and brought home the prizes for 2nd. high points.

Club play-offs are nearing the finish in all mens & ladies schedules, so by next week we can report the Trophy winners.

Haliburton wins 3-1

Wilberforce scored first in the Pee Wee division of the Monmouth Minor Hockey Tournament but Haliburton came back with three goals to win 3-1.

Lyle MacDuff put Wilberforce on the scoresheet at 6:32 of the first period, on a play from Jeff Hunter.

Haliburton's Paul Vuksic evened the count at the five minute mark with an assist going to Darcy Poole.

Haliburton's Colin Hore scored the eventual winner at 6:39 of the middle frame on a play from Wayne Welch.

Haliburton's third goal came the midway mark of

the third period when Shane Yateman scored from Billy Mulholland.

Four penalties were called in the game with two going to each team.

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for Haliburton. Dave Levely assisted on the play.

Lakefield's Leland Jacobs put the game away for Lakefield at 13:48 of the final period when he scored a shorthanded goal from Gerry O'Grady and Hunt.

A total of 44 penalties were called in the contest with 27 going to Lakefield including two misconducts.

Bancroft wins Minden tourney

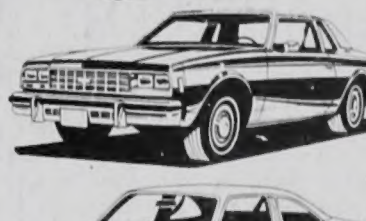
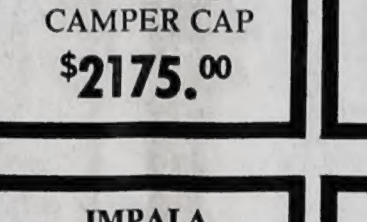
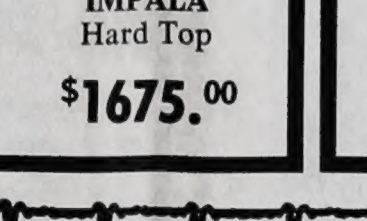
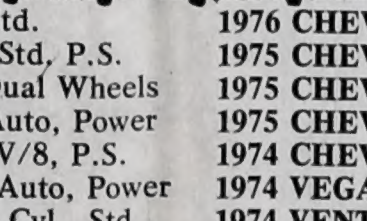
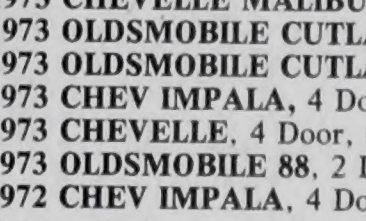
Bancroft bantams scored three goals in each of the first two periods and four more in the third period to come up with a 10-2 win over Fenelon Falls in the Bantam B tournament in Minden on Saturday.

Fenelon Falls' only two goals came within two minutes of each other midway through the second period and for awhile made the score close, 4-2.

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These members of the Haliburton Figure Skating Club took awards at the Ontario Figure Skating Interclub competitions this year, in Bobcaygeon. Lee Potter and Nancy Shipley (front) placed first in the Juvenile similar dance category. Kirby Bagg and Paul Milne came third overall in the preliminary men's competition. Penny Bird (centre, back row) was third overall in the pre-novice ladies and Martha Carnohan and Kelly Martin (left and right back) teamed up to take third position in the preliminary dance.

Lights possible at tennis court

The tennis courts at Rotary Beach may soon have lights to allow use of the facilities into the evening.

Dysart et al council agreed last week to declare Rotary Beach a community centre which would help the rotary club get grants in order to install the lights.

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Overtime

from Butch Manary.

A goal by Dwain Thompson, at the 35 second mark of the third period, evened the count and sent the game into overtime.

Tallman scored the winner with 2:17 remaining in the overtime period on a play from Bill Tallman and Barnes.

Barnes picked up the insurance marker with 45 seconds remaining when he scored unassisted.

Sooners increase series lead

The Sooners took a good lead in the last series by blanking the Jets as did the Fonzies over the Floozies. The Flyers and Hall-e-Hawks split leaving the team standing Sooners 28; Fonzies & Floozies 17; Jets 16; Flyers 15 and Hall-e-Hawks 12 points.

Art Beatty led off the high triples with 737 (275, 236); Jean Foster 722 (278, 249); Linda Morrison 699 (258, 225); Harry Henderson 667 (308); Gord Everall 663 (248, 237); Fran Woods 634 (254, 245); Joyce Griffin 633 (212, 211); Norma Hodgson 601 (232).

Single games over 200 were Marlene Nimigon 227; Norma Jean Scheffe 224; Ev Stata 216, 207; Fred Brittain 214; Rose Brittain 211; Norma Parish 210; Gerry Pinch 200.

Zone Round of the Thomas Adams National Classified Tournament will be bowled at Fenelon Lanes, Sunday, March 20th at 1 p.m.

From the Chamber by Bob Stinson

We were all shocked last week when we heard of the high mercury count in Koshlong Lake. It had never occurred to most of us that this type of a problem would ever touch Haliburton. The Ministry of Natural Resources is just as shocked as the rest of us and in their opinion the mercury is probably being caused by natural causes. It should be stressed that this is the first time any lakes in Haliburton have ever been tested so, therefore, this is not necessarily a new problem but one that may have been with us all along. It should also be stressed that Koshlong Lake is not necessarily the only lake containing mercury as it and only one other were tested for mercury this past summer. We have been assured that further testing will be taking place but how extensive it will be has not been determined since this testing procedure apparently is very expensive. think we can all assure our tourists that there is nothing to be alarmed about since the ministry has stated that the only real concern is where fish form a major part of ones diet.

A new newsletter has just been sent out, by C.O.T.A. to all of our members. You will note in the centre of the newsletter a very comprehensive survey taken by the Ministry of Industry and Tourism. This is the same survey that was referred to in this column some weeks back and as we mentioned before, although we were very pleased to get this information, we were disappointed that the survey is almost four years old and therefore lacks some impact. Any member who has not received copy of this particular newsletter should advise the chamber office so that we can make sure you are put on the mailing list.

We are still fighting the battle of the G-65 signs. A week ago we were contacted by Gordon Jones of the CBC Northern network for an interview on this particular subject. Gordon Jones expressed considerable concern over the issue and was also contacted by several northern listeners who were rather concerned since this is the first they had heard of it. This Monday, Gordon Jones contacted Doug Jure of the Ministry of Industry and Tourism for his side of the story. We didn't feel and I don't think Gordon Jones felt that the ministry has still properly answered the question as to why they insist on removing these signs. When Gordon Jones asked Doug Jure how their overall plans were being accepted Doug Jure replied "The reception is spotty, Central Ontario would certainly have to be the most contentious". Central Ontario is so contentious it might be advisable for the Ministry to stop and have a look and see if they are trying to fit a round peg in a square hole.

Pat Waddell of Haliburton Wild Life was good enough to send us a copy of "Great Lakes Sportsman" magazine in which Haliburton Wild Life has been written up. The article opens with a full page of colour pictures and great red letters spelling out "Haliburton for Snowmobilers is just this side of Paradise" by John Powers. If we had gone out and spent several thousand dollars for a full page ad we couldn't have done more good for the county. We congratulate Pat for bringing this publicity to our snowmobiling area and certainly would join Pat in thanking John Powers for the excellent publicity he has given Haliburton Wild Life and Haliburton County.

Over in the Wilberforce area they are still working hard towards the Monmouth Arena fund. This Friday, March 18, there is a Skate-a-thon being held by the skating club. The skating club normally retains the funds generated by the skate-a-thon but this year are

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If you walk to work, it won't be work to walk.

Along the Trail by Roy Bates

From many aspects it's nice to see an early Spring. It's a welcome relief from the steady cold of the winter and it helps to ease the pain of those high heating bills. And, an early spring was not unexpected. Below normal temperatures for seven months had to be followed by a period of unusually mild weather. Nevertheless, we can well understand the snowmobilers' feeling of being short-changed.

The intense cold of the past winter, instead of making for better snowmobiling, was actually a deterrent. The snow would not pack well. Travel on ungroomed trails was all but impossible for it lacked its

usually bouyancy. Getting off the beaten track meant getting stuck. Lakes were treacherous, with slush for most of the winter, and had just become excellent for snowmobiling when spring sprung. The transition from solid winter to flooded fields took less than ten days.

The average snowmobiler, however, has little room for complaint. Heavy snowfall across Southern Ontario this year provided good snowmobiling conditions in many areas that normally have a very short season if they get one at all. In the snowbelt areas such as Muskoka, Haliburton and Madawaska, trail grooming was much improved and much extended. We found it possible, for instance, to ride to Eganville with at least 80 per cent of the trip on groomed snowmobile trails. This was not possible as recently as last year. We are sure we would have found similar conditions had we chosen as our destination Midland, Parry sound, or North Bay. One of these will undoubtedly be in our plans for next winter. In short, and losing March makes it short, it was a very good snowmobiling season for those who were content to stick to the trails and stay off the lakes.

If the past winter did nothing else it helped to convince snowmobile clubs that groomed dryland trails are far more practical than the lake routes we had grown to depend on. We suspect, too, that it has changed the riding habits of a great many snowmobilers who took to those dryland trails and found that they were good.

We can put away our sleds with the happy thought that winter will come to us again. It always does, sometime around December. Happy Snowmobiling!

Museum committee learns about fund raising

Jim McQuarrie and George Hodgson, of Lindsay, who were instrumental in raising \$162,500 for the recently constructed addition to the Lindsay library, spoke to members of the Minden Library-Museum group last Wednesday to discuss ways and means of fund raising.

They achieved their objective of matching the largest grant yet given for museum library purposes some weeks ago. The Lindsay municipal government contributed to the project. Minden members noted that the Minden museum-library committee was pledged to using no municipal funds for the construction of a new museum and expanded facilities for Minden's overcrowded library.

The Lindsay drive collected enough funds for the three storey addition to their existing library through personal canvass of the community, although Mr. McQuarrie and Mr. Hodgson did suggest secondary methods of raising money. These included sale of old books donated by community members or an appeal to service clubs. They noted that canvassing was by far the most successful method of raising the money, especially since each canvasser, before he was asked to approach others, was asked to give himself.

A report from the property committee of the Minden Museum-Library Committee was read after some initial steps in fund raising were clarified with the guest speakers.

The report of the property committee recommended the area directly north of the dentist's office on the Bobcaygeon Road as a suitable site for the library-museum building. It was noted that council will have to make the decision as to the location, since they will own the building and maintain it, even though council is not to allocate any funds towards its construction, according to the terms of Wintario grants upon which the fund raising relies. A letter is to be directed to the March 23 meeting of council to request a decision on the location.

The Minden project is expected to take shape as a one storey building, approximately 54 by 80 feet, that will be roughly divided into halves for the museum and library facilities. Sketches of

possible arrangements had been forwarded to the Minden Museum-Library Committee by Pauline Hall,

a director of the museum section of the Ontario Heritage Foundation. The Minden building committee has

not yet established costs or plans, although, as was noted at the meeting, this should be done as soon as possible.

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Monday, March 21, 1977

2 - 6 P.M.

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Tuesday, March 22, 1977

Board Room, Lloyd Watson Memorial Centre
2 - 6 P.M.





Haliburton Skating Club members recently participated in the Canadian Figure Skating Club Interclub competitions in Bobcaygeon. Left to right the club members are front row, Shona Ross, Paul Milne, Melissa Creelman, and Kirby Bagg with Kelly Martin and Penny Bird kneeling in the second row. Standing, third row, are Anne-Marie VanLieshout, Heidi Whittaker, Erin Finn, Cathy Shipley and Nancy Bagg, and back, Susan Milne, Kim McDonald, Jennifer Sisson, Martha Carnochan, Lee Potter and Nancy Shipley. Angela Sisson was unable to present for the photo.

Grant system for Fire Hall being examined

Stanhope council last Wednesday resolved to wait for written assurances that

In hospital

In the hospital this week are Mrs. June Steadman, Mr. Ralph Daniels, Mrs. Sadie Dean, Mrs. Ethel Fader, Miss Cori Barkwell and Mrs. Colleen Bacon and baby boy.

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Appealing apportionment

Stanhope last Wednesday resolved to appeal the 1977 board of education apportionment, which indicates an 11.2 increase in school taxes

to be footed by Stanhope ratepayers. The decision to make the appeal followed on the announcement that the appeal put before the Ontario

Municipal Board Jan. 31 in Minden with regard to 1976 apportionment had been turned down.

The 1976 apportionment was determined according to provincial regulations based on assessment values frozen since 1969. Stanhope, Anson, Hindon and Minden and Sherbourne, McKintock and Livingstone appealed the 1976 apportionment, asking that it be based instead on more up to date market value assessments prepared by district Assessment Commissioner Victor Hewson in 1974.

The OMB did not grant the appeal on the evidence of the assessment commissioner who testified that his 1974 figures could no longer be deemed reliable, and would not set a fairer apportionment than the 1969 equalized assessments.

Mr. Hewson's figures were used in similar appeal which was granted for an adjustment on the 1975 levy.

The 1977 apportionment, set by the Haliburton County Board of Education, Feb. 22 is, like the 1976 figures, calculated according to the 1969 equalized assessments. Stanhope clerk Gerald Bain noted Wednesday, however, that an OMB hearing on the 1977 appeal will be held after up to date market value assessments have been released across the province.

According to Budget Paper E on taxation reform, the Ontario government is to release market value figures in June of this year. Between June and December, Mr. Bain noted, there are to be public meetings, and from September, appeals on the new assessments will be heard. By December of 1977, the assessments are to be set, to be used in 1978.

It is expected that the up to date market value assessments will cause shifts in apportionment in many municipalities across the province.

It was noted at Stanhope Council Wednesday that if the most recent assessment figures had been available

Taxes up so cut spending

A letter received from John Witzel by Stanhope Council, read at last Wednesday's meeting, asked council to put some restraints on spending.

Mr. Witzel expressed a concern that the Township takes advantage of part time residents who are here for only one month. He calculated that there was a 13 per cent increase in his taxes this year, which was too much, since there seemed to be few increases in services since 1950 when he purchased his cottage.

Reeve Sinclair Nesbitt said that in his view, services had been increased at least 100 per cent in the township since 1950.

Deputy Reeve Jim Harrison noted that there is now a senior citizen's home, a county roads system and improvements to the school system among the other increases in services in which Stanhope plays a part.

Council spoke of the improvements in road conditions alone, indicating that in 1950, at this time of year, many roads would have been impassable.

A letter is to be directed to Mr. Witzel stating council's response.

Cleanup after bridge repairs

The Ministry of Natural Resources has expressed some concern to Anson, Hindon and Minden Council about the cleanup after the Sunnybrook Bridge was repaired.

Steve Toole, of the Ministry, told the council that although the ministry gave its blessing to the project they were concerned about

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Monmouth News

by Pearl Foster

448-2041

Those attending the Beef Supper on March 5, 1977 know how good it was; those who didn't attend missed a superb supper.

The gears would not have meshed quite so smoothly if it had not been for Salloil Mathers, ably assisted by Pat Barnes and Marion Bradley. Don Herbert helped smooth any remaining rough edges.

The euchre on Wednesday nights at Tory Hill was well attended, with the prizes being won by Marjorie Bowen (69) High Ladies, Hubert Dunford (69), High mens, Lone Hands (4) Tom Tomphson, Low Score Pauline Hubbard and Travel prize went to Delia Thompson.

The Monmouth Branch of the Haliburton County Public Library had their first meeting for 1977-78. They welcomed Lois Corbett as chairperson. Lois replaces Pat Barnes who has resigned.

This year's committee consists of Vicki Agnew, representing H.C.P.L. Marg Finlay, Rep. Monmouth Council, Winnie Schofield and Keith Cameron, Bessie Croft Librarian, Olive Atkinson, Sec.

Creative Hands Club will start up again at the Library for October and November 1977.

The Library sold tickets on a quilt donated by Mrs. Stevens to help raise funds for our new arena. The draw for the quilt was held at the Community Beef dinner on March 5, 1977. The winner was Robin Foster of Tory Hill.

The Library has rented a table at the Flea Market on April 9, 1977.

Further activities to aid the Area Fund will be a dance on April 9th sponsored by the Wilberforce Curling Club.

The lead-off event for this day will be a pancake and sausage breakfast in the morning. A maple syrup demonstration and Flea Market will be all day events, and the dance to top it off in the evening.

Don Herbert tells me tables are still available for rent (\$5) for the Flea Market.

Here's your chance to show off your winter's work in crafts, knitting, crocheting, macramé, pottery, weaving, leather work, whatever.

What about a white elephant table, stamp collectors, coin collectors.

Come on Hobbyists here's your chance.

Birthdays will be celebrated this week by Dan Mathews, Heather Barnes, Jim Dunford, Doug Tallman, Pat Barnes and Murray Agnew - (funny thing Murray you don't look like a leprechaun).

We are glad to see Pauline Hubbard back in Tory Hill after an extended visit to relatives in the London area.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chap. 284 Sec. 443 of the Municipal Act, that the Township Council of the Municipality of Dysart et al proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, Haliburton, Ontario on Monday, April 11th, 1977, a By-Law to Close, Stop Up and Convey the following:

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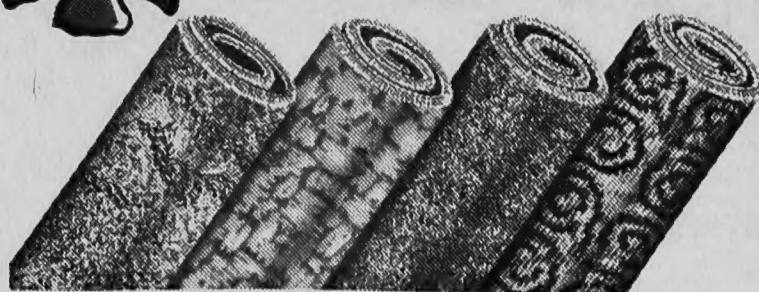
WHICH said parcel or tract of land may be further illustrated as that portion of the aforesaid streets shown in heavy outline on a Plan of Survey by H.C. Bishop, O.L.S., dated January 7th, 1976 and hereunto attached.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that before passing the said By-Law at its meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned the Township Council of the Municipality of Dysart et al shall then and there hear in person, or by his Counsel or Solicitor or Agent, any person who claims that his land will be affected by the said By-Law and who applies to be heard.

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Councillor upset about retaining road budget

Stanhope councillor Elgin Stouffer spoke out at last Wednesday's council meeting against council's present intention to retain as large road budget in the 1977 budget as was allocated by the Ministry of Transportation and Communications in 1976.

"I move we cut something down for a change instead of trying to live up to it", Mr. Stouffer said of the discussion revolving around how a similar subsidy could be spent this year.

Deputy Reeve Jim Harrison noted, "if we cut it

down, we'll never get it back up".

There was an expenditure of \$76,000 last year over and above the normal amount of work done in the municipality over a year, according to figures presented to council by Stanhope clerk Gerald Bain. Mr. Bain noted that the construction of the municipal garage and the balance on a purchase of a new truck, and resurfacing of a portion of roadway, which came under MTC subsidy, were extra expenses that would not have to be borne this year.

Mr. Stouffer told council that he felt "Canada is suffering pretty badly right now" and "someone has to start somewhere" in cutting back the amount they spend.

Stanhope council held its budget meeting Monday of this week, intending, it was noted at council, to have all the information on expenditure gathered so that it could be assessed together.

Nesbitt upset because figures aren't reliable

"It's disgraceful, in my opinion, that our money should be used for reassessment studies and then for a man to stand up in court and say that those figures aren't reliable," said Stanhope Reeve Sinclair Nesbitt in response to the Ontario Municipal Board decision that turned down an appeal by Stanhope, Anson, Hindon and Minden and Sherbourne, McKintock and Livingstone concerning the apportionment of 1976 Board of Education taxes.

At the OMB hearing, held Jan. 31 in Minden, district assessment commissioner Victor Hewson testified that the 1974 assessment figures that he determined according to adjusted 1972 figures are no more reliable than assessments calculated on the figures frozen by the province in 1969.

In 1975 the Haliburton County Council relied on Mr. Hewson's figures for apportionment purposes, adopting one third of the difference between his figures and those based on the 1969 rolls.

In 1976, Stanhope and Anson, Hindon and Minden appealed the 1975 Board of Education apportionment, asking that it too be calculated according to Mr. Hewson's reassessment studies. Mr. Hewson's figures they maintained, provided a fairer basis for apportionment across the county.

The OMB last year granted the appeal, and adjustments in the school levy were made.

The 1976 Board of Education levy, however, was not affected by the decision and apportionment was once again calculated according to the 1969 figures, rather than according to two thirds of Mr. Hewson's figures, the next step updating apportionment to reflect market values.

The second appeal made recently concerning the 1976 levy was not granted. According to the OMB decision, released last week, "the evidence of the assessment commissioner ... was crucial", to the refusal to grant the appeal.

Mr. Hewson testified at the hearing that his estimated assessment figures of 1974 could not be relied on to create a more equitable distribution among the municipalities, than if the 1969 equalized assessment figures were allowed to stand.

He testified that there have been changes in the status of farm lands according to the provincial Budget Paper E on market value assessment, and also that market values of lakeshore properties have escalated at a faster rate than market values in general.

He noted that the 1974 figures were found to be "less than satisfactory" when compared with actual selling costs of those properties and one the evidence of more recent figures that have been compiled.

Stanhope Council last Wednesday resolved to send a letter to the Ministry of Treasury, Economics and Intergovernmental Affairs in response to the OMB decision noting that "council strongly objects to the flagrant waste of public funds" that seems apparent since the 1974 county assessment figures prepared were said to be inaccurate and no better than those of 1969.

Mr. Nesbitt said "it was the most disgraceful thing I've heard" and that if he'd heard an employee say his figures weren't reliable, "I'd fire him on the spot."

Bill Smiley

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AH, there's nothing more exhilarating than a good old fashioned Canadian winter! (Is this the same guy who wrote a glum, lugubrious column last week about the physical and financial horrors of just such?)

We've just had three days of sun and no snow, and all those red-eyed, drippy-nosed, hacking, whining, snow shovelling Canadians of a week ago have been transformed into virile, vibrant, smiling, sickenly-hearty exponents of the fabulous Canadian winter.

I made my stand a day or two after last week's column. I thought to myself "Screw this", or words to that effect. "I'm gonna go berserk. The Old Lady is getting weird. All my friends are either depressed or eerie. I'm gonna make the great escape."

So I did. A certain group of young punks to whom I am forced to refer as my colleagues, have been after me, slyly and maliciously, for about two years, to attend one of their poker evenings. They knew perfectly well that my wife wouldn't let me go, even if I told her it was a group of Sunday School teachers, and we were only going to play for matches.

They got after me again last Thursday. Maybe it was the weather, but something snapped. I said, "Right. What time?"

They started to snicker, and poke each other with their elbows. This is known in their circle as humor. "Sure you won't have any trouble making it? We sometimes stay up as late as midnight, you know, Smiley. How ya gonna get through the next day's work?" And so on. I treated this juvenilia with the respect it deserved.

There was only one more hurdle, and you know what that was. But there was no real problem with her. All I had to do was get out and check all my insurance policies, make sure the cars and the house were properly signed over and promise not to have a drink before dinner, in case I had one at the poker den, and the Old Battleaxe caved in. Oh, not completely. As I went out the door, she was yelling: "And don't expect the door to be unlocked when you get home, and if you're not here by midnight I'll call the police."

But that was nothing. In the old days, when she really loved me, and was really jealous, she'd get physical. She'd throw her arms around my neck and her legs around my waist, and I'd have a hell of a time getting through the door before I could brush her off against a tree, or dump her in a snowbank.

Anyway, the boys picked me up, and off we

went into the wild night. The last of the blizzards was just easing off, but it was blowing great curtains of snow off the mighty banks. I thought we were going a couple of miles in town. Turned out we were heading for a chalet out in the hills, about eighteen miles away, and the driver of the Datsun in which I am ensconced fancied himself as a contender in the Grand Winter Rally of Montenegro, or something. Had to call on the old steely fighter-pilot's nerves to refrain from screaming, "Lemme Out! I wanna go home and watch TV!"

However, true grit prevailed, and six hours later I was home, steady as a rock, about even on the night's poker, and ready for a few hours sleep.

I wouldn't bore you by telling you what kind of poker these aging juvenile delinquents play. Almost no stud or draw poker. They play what we used to call, before the male chauvinist crap began "Women's Poker". Games like Twenty-seven Skip to My Loo ninth card wild anything in your armpit doesn't count and split the pot four ways. It took three times as long to describe the game to be played as it did to play it.

Had a Mississippi gambler, or even an old cowhand, been asked to sit in on just one of those deals, he'd have pulled his derringers, or his .38, as it might be, and started shooting "poker" players right and left.

I hate to mention one more detail. But, old enough to be the father of most of them, I was at work the next day bright as a shiny new dollar, teaching with my usual superb elegance, and looking askance at some of these bleary-eyed young "gamblers" who thought they were showing the old boy a big night out. Migawd, I was in rougher games than that when I was 17.

However, I forgive them their misconceptions, and if they want to call a hangover being "down with the flu", that's their problem.

Point is, I had made the big breakthrough of the winter blah's. On Saturday morning, was up at the crack of noon, and off skiing in the bush with my wife. She fell five times. I fell once.

Sunday, off again skiing with a gang. My wife fell four times. I fell once. Followed this with an apres-ski party with old friends. Dandy fire going. Wizard mulled wine. Massive injections of hot home-made soup and home-baked bread. And home to bed at ten o'clock with a tremendous sense of physical and moral rectitude.

I've been feeling good about winter ever since, and all depression is gone. Why don't you try it? You don't have to begin with a poker game out in the wilds. Especially if you happen to be an eighty year old lady.

But do something. Kick the cat. Give your grumpy old husband a goose. First thing you know they'll both be chasing you around the house, and your winter blues will vanish.

Major Cruikshanks is honored on retirement

At an officer's mess dinner held at CFB Trenton recently, Major H.L. (Shorty) Cruikshanks was honoured on the occasion of his retirement after 31 years service in the RCAF and Canadian Armed Forces.

Major Cruikshanks joined the RCAF at Trenton in 1946 as a technician aircraftman second class. He subsequently became an Air Traffic Control Assistant and later a Ground Control Approach (GCA) radar

operator and was later commissioned as an Air Traffic Control Officer. Among other interesting assignments he assisted in the control of air traffic over the Montreal Olympic village during the summer of 1976. Major Cruikshanks, his wife, the former Eileen Gibbs, and their family of three girls, have been based at many locations in Canada, ranging from Comox, B.C. through Churchill, Manitoba to Greenwood, Nova Scotia.

They plan to settle in the Trenton/Belleville area where "Shorty" is going to take a course at Loyalist college and enjoy his winterized cottage on Maple Lake.

The retirement dinner for Major Cruikshanks was of significance to Haliburton County residents as he was raised at West Guilford. By coincidence, the farewell presentation was made by Colonel W. Neil Russell of Carnarvon who, on behalf of Officers in the Canadian forces, presented Major Cruikshanks with a cheque to be applied toward a silver tea service.



Major Cruikshanks



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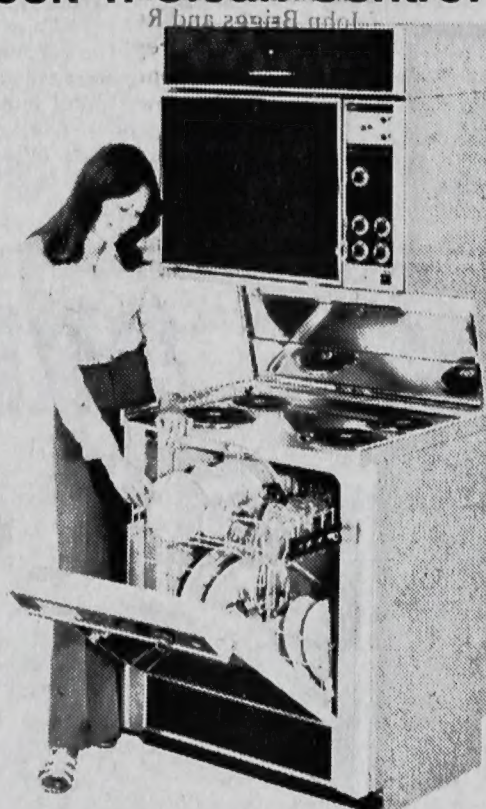
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Report from Queen's Park

BY MPP JOHN EAKINS

Last Fall the government proposed legislation to reform Ontario's family law, to guarantee equality to both spouses with respect to the division of assets at the time of marriage break-down, regardless of who has been responsible for the acquisition of these assets.

The Family Law Reform Act, 1975, was proclaimed on July 10th of that year. It abolished the archaic common law doctrine of unity of legal personality - the fiction that husband and wife were one person in law, and that person was the husband, and provided that a spouse shall not, because of the marital relationship, be disentitled from claiming contribution or an interest in property where he or she contributes work, money or money's worth to property held in the name of the other spouse.

In December of last year, an all-party legislative committee decided to delay passage of the proposed marriage law reform bills to give interested groups more time to make submissions. Members were torn between a wish to delay the legislation to provide opportunity for public input, and concern that if the reforms were delayed they might be stalled yet again by the intervention of a provincial election. Following mounting pressure, the committee agreed to advertise for public submissions and give clause by clause consideration to the bills in committee rather than in

the House where the public cannot take part in the debate.

The major proposals for consideration are:

(1) the creation of legislative guidelines for the sharing of family assets on marriage break-down, and in certain cases, other assets;

(2) the creation of a new kind of support obligation on the part of each spouse to support the children of the marriage and the other spouse if he or she is in need, when the spouse from whom support is sought has the means;

(3) the replacement of dower by the provision of rights for either spouse to remain in possession of and to control dealings with the matrimonial home and household goods;

(4) the recognition of marriage contracts between spouses who prefer to create their own rules governing economic relations.

Ontario's current law of separate property operates to assign ownership of property to the person who pays for it. A married man's earnings and property purchased from those earnings belong to him and a married woman's earnings and property bought with her earnings belong to her. The apparent equality of this system of property law is not suitable for many marriages.

In what has been considered the traditional type of marriage, the husband is the breadwinner and the wife is the homemaker who manages the household and cares for the children. The wife often ends up with nothing because she has neither earnings nor savings of her own. Her contribution as the homemaker and in caring for the children is largely unrecognized and consequently not valued in property or dollar terms. While it is generally felt that there should be more sharing of marital property and responsibility for supporting the family, there is considerable difference of opinion about the best method of doing this.

The province could adopt the English system of judicial discretion. During marriage ownership and management of property continue to remain with the spouse who paid for it. Upon marriage breakdown, a judge exercises a discretion to divide all property, including business assets, following statutory guidelines, regardless of whether the property was acquired before or during the marriage.

A blend of the judicial discretion and deferred community systems results in what may be called the family assets approach. Family assets, that is property ordinarily used or enjoyed by members of a family for shelter, household, transportation, education, recreational, social or aesthetic purposes, would be shared equally unless the judge exercised his discretion along statutory guidelines to vary the share of family assets, or in unusual cases, to divide other assets.

Each of these possible alternatives would apply only in the absence of a marriage contract.

In essence, the proposed legislation places the onus of responsibility for the support of children on both partners equally, and provides that in common-law situations which have been in existence for two years, both parties have the same rights as married persons.

See you next week.

Haliburton Radio Club News

On Saturday, March 5, 1977, the Haliburton Area Radio Club and the Haliburton Area React Team held a Benefit Dance at the Legion Hall in Haliburton for Bryan and Liz Coppin, whose house was lost in a fire on January 10th. Approximately 85 people attended despite inclement weather. At this time we would like to thank all those who attended and all those organizations who contributed by way of Door Prizes and spot dance prizes namely, the Rotary Clubs of Minden and Haliburton, the Kinsmen Clubs of Minden and Haliburton, the Lindsay React Team, the PineStone Inn of Haliburton, the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 129 in Haliburton, Jeff Avery of Dorset, and Keith Prior. We would also like to thank all the ladies who provided sandwiches and anyone else who helped make the Dance a success. A very special word of thanks must go to Mr. Larry Medley who did an excellent job of organizing the affair.

On Sunday, March 6, 1977, the Snowarama was held from Minden and Haliburton. The Haliburton Area Radio Club would like to take this opportunity to thank the Rotary Clubs of Minden and Haliburton for asking our members to act as radio controlled check points. We feel that this event offered us an excellent opportunity to practice radio controlled exercises. We would also commend very highly the excellent job done by Jack Pripp on the control base during this exercise.

Reeve Murray Fearrey and Deputy Reeve Harold Bannon attended an executive meeting on March 11th, at the request of John Briggs and Reg Brooks. Topic of discussion was Municipal policy regarding sanding of roads under extreme weather conditions. Results of that discussion were made known to Radio Club members at the General Meeting on Sunday, March 13th.

On Friday, March 11th the Haliburton Area Radio Club had a Net Call hosted by Mrs. Briggs, 48 radio operators called in. These net calls are open to all G.R.S. operators. The next Net Call will be held on Friday, April 15th, at 9:00 p.m. on Channel 22.

The Secretary requests that any member who received an application form with the last minutes, to please complete the form and send it in. This is not a request for club fees now, it's only to complete our files.

We would like to point out to ALL G.R.S. operators the following taken from the General Radio Service extracts published by the Department of Communications.

Section 72, subsection 2 states:

"Licensed Stations may only use the frequency of 27.065 Mc/s (or Channel 09):

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At the General meeting on Sunday, March 13th, it was suggested that a booklet be produced containing only the personal name and XM number of all G.R.S. operators in our area. This would be similar to a telephone directory. At this time the price for such a booklet is not known. If there are any G.R.S. operators interested in having their name and XM number listed, please contact any Haliburton Area Radio Club member.

Due to the fact that Easter Sunday is April 10th, the next General meeting of H.A.R.C. will be held on Sunday, April 17th, at 1:00 p.m. Please Come Out and Support Your Club.

Clean up site from page 9

the removal of the extra fill at the Bailey bridge site and some large pieces of masonry at the bottom of the river. Reeve Reg Booth assured Mr. Toole that it was in the

contract for the cleanup and the municipality has been assured that it will be done. Headed that the municipality has the option to hold back the cheque for payment.

Haliburton Legion News

The regular monthly meeting of Branch 129 Royal Canadian Legion was held in the hall Thursday, March 3, with president Mel Robertson presiding.

Three new Ordinary Members were initiated, Jim Congdon, Russell Tice and H.G. Gilhooly.

Our Car Draw Chairman, Bob Bannon, told the meeting that the order has been placed for a three quarter ton pickup with camper, to be drawn for at the Legion Carnival, in July. Tickets will be available shortly and judging by the enthusiasm shown already for this camper unit, we expect the tickets to be sold quickly.

In June the Martin & Downs Family Circus is expected to come to Haliburton, sponsored by the Legion.

A new building committee was formed, consisting of Don Johnston, Cliff Dawson, Earl Shipley, Doug Armstrong, Mel Robertson, plus Jan Shipley and Edith Day from the LA and Ron Sisson and Tim Casey from the Associates.

It is hoped that plans may be finalized quickly so that the new addition may be ready for use by the summer of 1978 when Branch 129 hopes to host the 1978 District Drumhead Service. More on this in May.

The Zone F4 Bowling Tournament was held at the Carnarvon Lanes on Saturday, March 5th, with the overall winners being the team from Branch 129 Haliburton.

The Zone F4 Shuffleboard tournament will be held in Haliburton on Saturday, March 26.

The Legion has been asked to participate in the drive to raise funds for the repairs and improvements at the arena and some ideas have been put forth for the raising of our share of the funds. Comrade Doug Armstrong will represent Legion on the committee formed recently to get this project underway.

Sunday, March 20, is the date of the spring Zone F4 rally, being held at the Legion Hall in Haliburton, registration begins at 12:30 p.m. The president would like to see a good turnout from Branch 129 and the Ladies Auxiliary. Registration is \$3.00 each with a light lunch served before the meeting and a roast beef dinner served at the conclusion. There will be an election of Zone Officers.

Ordinary members are reminded that Thursday, April 7th, is nomination night, so plan to be there. The District F convention

will be in Lindsay, April 23 and 24. The Legion Pipe and Drum Band has been invited to be in attendance for the parade to the cenotaph on Sunday, April 24 and it is hoped that Haliburton will have a good showing on this occasion. The District F Drumhead will be at Brighton with date to be announced at a later date. The winner of our monthly 50-50 draw was Oscar Stewart. The tickets for the raffle, sponsored by the Associates, are selling well. Anyone wishing to purchase a chance on this handy gardening aid may get a ticket at the Legion Hall. The Draw will take place Easter weekend, in conjunction with an amateur contest. Good prizes for that too!

H·H·S·S·News

by Becky Davidson

On Monday, March 7, the graduating four year students were able to see a slide presentation of the Creative Job Search Programme from the Canada Manpower's Outreach Office in Haliburton.

The end of the month results for the 50-Mile Club are Miss Keohler - 49 miles, Becky Davidson - 30 miles, Mr. Brohman - 25 miles, Mr. Oakley - 25 miles and Mr. Lerpiniere - 21 miles. The club's totals for the past four months are Miss Keohler - 184 miles, Mr. Brohman - 145 miles, and Mr. Oakley - 105 miles. Mr. Lerpiniere has accumulated 85 miles in three months. New members for the coming running month are Tim Bain, Karen Bell, Paul Cummings, Kirk Potter, Mike Scheffee and Judy Trumbull.

The A3 History students are involved in a drive to raise money for their three day trip in which they will visit prehistoric earth mounds in Ontario this Spring. These students are willing to do odd jobs at the minimum wage. If you would like any odd jobs done, please phone the school at 457-2950 between 3:05 and 3:30 on school days and ask for a History Project Ontario Secretary. This person will record your job description, and Mr. Frank Wallace, their supervisor, will phone you back to discuss the details. Please support these students who are making such a great effort to attain their goal.

The grade 11 Theatre Arts class, under the capable direction of Miss Philp presented a comical review of various television programmes and commercials entitled the Dummy Awards. The Bong Show, Larry Smartman/Larry Smartman, and Charlie's Devils were featured. Raquel Squelech, Phylliss Diller, Ava Glamour, Guy Smiley and Boy Rogers were on hand to present some of the awards. The Bong Show panel starred Slinger, Happy Cooker and the Funz. The students did a great job of writing and producing all of the skits. The entire performance was enjoyed by the students who saw it.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN* pursuant to Chap. 284 Sec. 443 of the Municipal Act, that the Township Council of the Municipality of Dysart et al proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, Haliburton, Ontario on Monday, April 11th, 1977, a By-Law to Close, Stop Up and Convey the following:

ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Township of Dysart, in the Provisional County of Haliburton, being composed of the Northerly 400 feet of the original allowance for road between Lots 5 and 6, Concession II, in the said township, and which said parcel or tract of land is more particularly described as follows:

PREMISING that the bearings herein are astronomic and derived from the Westerly limit of Lot 6, Concession III, having a bearing of North 21 degrees, 55 minutes West and referred to the meridian through the South East corner of Lot 15, Concession VIII, Township of Dysart.

COMMENCING at the North Westerly angle of Lot 6, Concession II;

THENCE South 21 degrees 55 minutes East, 400.0 feet;

THENCE South 69 degrees 04 minutes 30 seconds West, 66.01 feet;

THENCE North 21 degrees 55 minutes West, 400.0 feet;

THENCE North 69 degrees 00 minutes 45 seconds East, 33.0 feet;

THENCE North 69 degrees 08 minutes 30 seconds East, 33.01 feet to the point of commencement;

WHICH said parcel or tract of land may be further illustrated, shown in heavy outline on a plan drawn by H.C. Bishop, O.L.S., dated February 14, 1977, and hereunto attached.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that before passing the said By-Law at its meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned the Township Council of the Municipality of Dysart et al shall then and there hear in person, or by his Counsel, Solicitor or Agent, any person who claims that his land will be affected by the said By-Law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at Haliburton, this 14th day of March 1977.

Wayne B. Wood,
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AMCT

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Letters will be received for inclusion on the mailing list to receive invitation bid contract tender forms and specifications for rental equipment required by the Ministry during the year 1977.

Letters must include an itemized list of equipment available for hire on which the supplier is interested in tendering and should be addressed to the District Engineer, Ministry of Transportation and Communications, Box 300, Bancroft, Ontario.



Victoria-Haliburton M.P. William Scott expressed concern in the House of Commons March 1 about



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Bill Scott is concerned

Canada importing pork from the People's Republic of China.

Mr. Scott asked Eugene Whelan, Minister of Agriculture, "In view of the fact that Canada is looked upon as a food producing and exporting nation, and taking into consideration the proficiency of Canada pork producers, can the minister explain the necessity of importing pork products from the People's Republic of China when we should more rightly be concerned about the exporting of this commodity?"

Mr. Whelan answered, "There is certainly no law against people producing pork in Canada. There is an open and ample market here

for them. At the present time we are importing about five million pounds of pork per week into Canada, not because producers are not making money on pork but because they can make more money selling grain. So they have discontinued producing pork. The amount of pork which comes in from the People's Republic of China is .35 per cent of the total amount of pork imported in Canada."

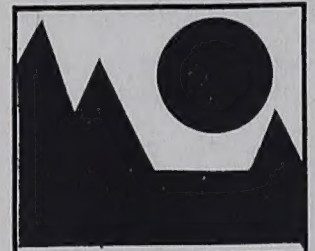
He went on to note that Canada is selling a lot of grain and other items, but it is up to the pork producers if they want to provide pork for Canadian consumers.

Mr. Scott then asked, "In view of the chaos in the beef producing industry in Can-

ada, is the minister not afraid that this same chaos will befall the pork industry and create great uncertainty among pork producers in Canada?"

Mr. Whelan answered that there is legislation

provided by Parliament which protects pork producers or any other producers who want to supply the market in Canada.



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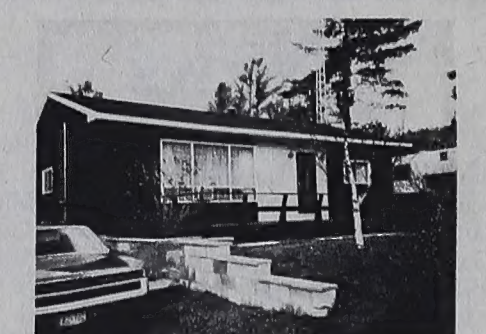
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At 9:00 a.m., Minden's B division players will take on Bobcaygeon.

There are four A and four B teams participating, Haliburton, Fenelon Falls, Minden and Bracebridge teams will be playing to win the A division Austin's Esso championship trophy. The consolation A division winners will receive the Eric Coulter Memorial Trophy.

Bobcaygeon, Minden, Bracebridge and Fenelon Falls have also entered B division teams who will be fighting for the Prentice Roads Championship trophy and the Bill Porter consolation trophy.

Although young in years, these hockey players have had lots of game experience this season, and as minor hockey winds to a close, for another winter, their efforts are paying off. Come and see the up and comings.

Nesbitt from page 10

Gerald Bain, Stanhope clerk, said that "Hewson wasn't entirely to blame" since questions weren't asked with regard to up to date figures.

He said that Mr. Hewson's evidence indicated that assessments had altered so greatly between Dec. of 1974 and June of 1976 that the 1974 figures were deemed inadequate. He noted that Robert Weekes, counsel for the appealing townships, should have brought 1976 figures into the evidence which might have been deemed more reliable than the 1974 or 1969 figures.

Stanhope would have benefitted by \$22,525 if the appeal had been upheld and two thirds of Mr. Hewson's figures adopted.

Anson, Hindon and Minden would have paid \$42,947 less, and Dysart, \$82,187 more. As Stanhope councillor John Tomlinson noted Wednesday, "we assumed we were going to win", since the OMB granted the appeal last year of one third of Mr. Hewson's figures, and it was considered that a precedent was set for granting the two thirds.

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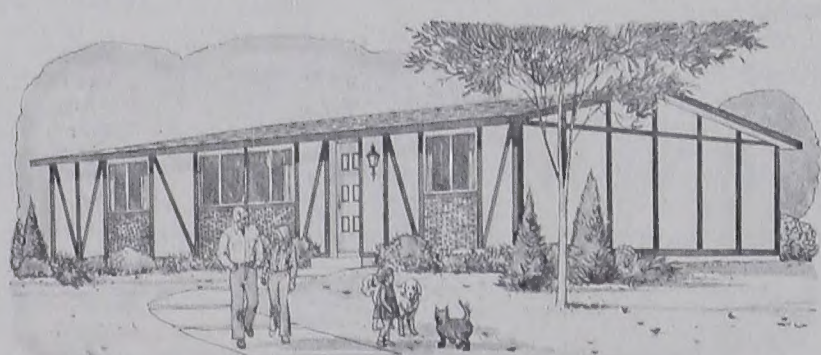
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BY CHARLES PLEWMAN

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Some of us at Extendicare have been lucky. Life has been good to us. We have lived to a ripe old age and biologically speaking are a success. Others unfortunately have not fared so well. Sickness has stuck them like a bolt out of the blue and handicapped them for life. Lady Luck is a very capricious person and one that is very elusive. For every one she smiles upon, she passes by literally hundreds. Happiness and success do not bless those who have their wishbone where their backbone ought to be. Just sitting on your fanny waiting for your ship to come home won't get you very far but hard work perseverance and just doing your best will.

One Tuesday, March 8th, the residents enjoyed another Bingo game. Some of the players used as many as six cards at a time. Prizes of fruit and candy are awarded. Mrs. Lila Simmons uses six cards and wins many prizes which she usually offers to others. Mrs. Dorothy Davidson and Mrs. Kel Andison, volunteers, did an excellent job.

We recently had another fire drill. Unlike the other ones where the fire was supposed to be in one of the

other wings, the location for this one was in the lounge. The residents and staff now know where to go in case of fire. This building is a very safe place in case of fire, as one can escape through the window in his/her room.

On Wednesday Mrs. Mary Packard of the Haliburton County Library put on an attractive colored movie show including views of Iceland, R.C.M.P. Musical Ride, Vegetable Gardening and Beavers.

On Thursday the 10th, we played games and tried to limber up some following which Mrs. Lewis led us in a general discussion of yesterday's movies.

In the evening we played cards. Light refreshments were served. Mrs. Mary Currah acted as hostess. You are invited.

Our Devotional Period on Friday was taken by the Rev. Glen Rosch of the Full Gospel Lighthouse. His theme, All things are possible with God. He used Gideon as an example of a man whose faith in God defeated the enemy.

We are planning for a good St. Patrick's day program on Thursday the 17th.

Personals

Cecil Kellett: Faimed for about 40 years at Gelert, had a sugar bush and made maple syrup, taffy and maple sugar. Walked 50 miles to Dorset (2 days) to cut logs for the winter.

Jack Kinnear: Was a stationary engineer at Austin's sawmill 9 miles from Haliburton. He worked in the bush for several years.

With warmer weather expected soon, the residents are looking forward to getting out and enjoying the out of doors.

Happy St. Patrick's Day.

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turning the entire amount over to the arena fund. On April 9th the area is running their first annual Maple Syrup Festival and Flea Market. There will be maple syrup making demonstrations, pancake and sausage concessions, tours of the sugar bush and a big dance in the evening. The Haliburton area is becoming well known for its fine maple syrup but this is the first time anyone has established a good festival in honour of this particular season. Let's all go over and join them for the day.

By the time you are reading this column we will be off to the big city for ten days, at the Toronto Sportsman Show. If possible we will attempt to send a column up for next week but no guarantees. We do hope that if any of you are visiting the Sportsman Show you will drop around the Haliburton Chamber booth (W 31) and say Hello to us. When you're in the big city for ten days it's always nice to say Hello to someone you know.

COMING EVENTS

March 18 - skate-a-thon, Monmouth Arena.
March 19 - Haliburton County Snowmobile Assoc. Snowball Dance, Carmen Peters & Rythmaires, Haliburton Legion, Bar & Buffet - \$8.00 per couple.
April 1 - skate-a-thon, Minden Arena.
April 9 - Maple Syrup Festival & Flea Market in Wilberforce.
April 16 - Haliburton Curling Club Banquet, Haliburton Legion Hall Dinner & Dancing. \$15.00 per couple.
April 23 - Haliburton County Fair Dance, round & Square Dancing by the Misty River Ramblers - Bar & Lunch - \$6.00 per couple.

Gems of Truth

Divine Warning
"Take heed lest any man

Agriculture events

Wed. March 16 - 10 a.m.
Victoria Community Pasture Committee Meeting, Agricultural Office, Lindsay.

Wed. March 16 * - 1 p.m.
Dairymen's Clinic on feeding. Lindsay Agricultural Office.

Wed. March 16 - 8 p.m.
Victoria Soil & Crop Imp. Assoc. Directors Meeting, Lindsay Agricultural Office.

Sat. March 19 *
Victoria County Holstein Club Barn Meeting at the farm of Lillio Bros., Woodville.

Mon. March 21 * - 8 p.m.
Little Britain 4-H Club Organizational Meeting, Mariposa School.

Mon. March 21 * 8 p.m.
Kawartha 4-H Pony Club Organizational Meeting, Board Room, Lindsay Agricultural Office.

Tues., March 22 * - 8 p.m.
Bobcaygeon 4-H Calf and Pony Clubs Organizational Meeting, Anglican Church, Bobcaygeon.

Wed. March 23 * - 11 a.m.
Beef Bull Sale at Hays Sales Arena, Oakville.

Wed. March 23 - 7:30 p.m.
Haliburton Livestock Producers Assoc. Meeting in Minden Council Chambers. Guest speaker Dr. L. Coleman from Veterinary Services Branch.

Wed. March 23 * - 8 p.m.
Woodville 4-H Club Organizational Meeting, Woodville Public School.

Thurs. March 24 * - 8 p.m.
Omemee - Downeyville 4-H Club Organizational Meeting in the Emily-Omemee Community Centre.

Thurs. March 24 * - 8 p.m.
Fenelon Falls 4-H Club Organizational Meeting in the Fenelon Falls High School.

Thurs. March 24 * - 8 p.m.
Victoria 4-H Swine Club Organizational Meeting, in the Fenelon Falls High School.

Mon. March 28 * - 8 p.m.
Victoria 4-H Veterinary Science Club Organizational Meeting, Board Room, Lindsay Agricultural Office.

Tues. March 29 * - 8 p.m.
"Farming Frontiers" sponsored by Morgan Baker Equipment Ltd., Mariposa Elementary School.

Tues. March 29 * - 8 p.m.
Victoria County 4-H Small Engines Club Organizational Meeting, Lindsay Agricultural Office.

Tues. March 29 * - 8 p.m.
4-H Agrometology Club Organizational Meeting, Lindsay Agricultural Office.

Tues. March 29 * - 8 p.m.
Victoria 4-H Field Crops Club Organizational Meeting, Lindsay Agricultural Office.

Wed. March 30 * - 8 p.m.
Emily 4-H Pony Club Organizational Meeting at Bethel Church.

Wed. March 30 * - 8 p.m.
Farmers evening at Bob Mark Tractor Sales Limited, Little Britain Road.

Sat. April 2
Victoria County Holstein Club Bus Trip to Cobourg and Port Hope Area.

Sat. April 2
Fenelon Falls Junior Farmer Dance and Buffet, Bobcaygeon Legion.

Mon. April 4 * - 8 p.m.
Victoria Cattlemen's Assoc. Meeting, Conference Room Agricultural Office, Lindsay. Guest speaker is Dr. Groves of Brelmar Veterinary Clinic. He will discuss calving problems and calf diseases.

Mon. April 4 - 8 p.m.
Kawartha 4-H Dairy Club Organizational Meeting, Lindsay Agricultural Office.

Discharge

Christian Schuetz, of Dorset, was granted a conditional discharge with a two year probation in the Minden court Feb. 22. He was charged with causing a disturbance and failure to appear in court.

A condition of the two year probation is that he not enter any place where alcohol is served.

Probation

Linda Mae Shaw of Gelert, was given an additional two years probation in the provincial court in Minden, Feb. 22 on a count of breach of a previous probation.

She was charged with the breach of probation as the result of an incident at the Ron Woodcock residence in Minden Jan. 8.

A condition of the two year probation laid down by Judge Inrig on Feb. 22 is that she is not to consume any alcohol.

Coming Events

ST. PATRICK'S DANCE

Harcourt Hall
Saturday, March 19th
9 p.m.
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Date: Sunday, April 3rd, 1977; Place: Haliburton Arena. Time: 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Admission: Adults - \$1.50 Sixteen and under 75c. Preschoolers - free.

IN MEMORIAM

NEWELL - In loving memory of our Dad, Irvin Newell, who passed away March 11, 1962 and our sister, Joy Newell, who passed away March 10, 1957.

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Too many memories hold it fast
Today, tomorrow and our whole life through,
We will always love and remember you.

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Mike, Yvonne, Kevin, Cheryl and Glenda.

CULLY - In loving memory of a dear husband and father Lloyd, who departed from us March 17, 1975.

No morning dawns, no night returns
But that we think of you
Those left behind are very good
But none replaces you.

Many a silent tear is shed,
When we are all alone
The one we loved so very much
The one we called our own.

Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by wife Madeleine and family.

DEATH NOTICE

AT REST
at the Hyland Crest
Senior Citizen's Home,
Minden

on Tuesday, March 8, 1977
HAZEL SARAH ALSOP
In her 81st year

Beloved daughter of the late Mary and Joseph Alsop; dear sister of Lottie (Mrs. C. Woodcock) of Haliburton, Ross of Prince Albert, Ontario, Hubert of Gooderham and the late Victor and Mary; also survived by many nieces and nephews.

FUNERAL SERVICE
Rested at the Funeral Chapel of John Welch and Son Ltd., Minden, after 2:00 p.m. Thursday, for complete funeral service and committal in the Chapel on Friday, March 11, at 2:00 p.m. Spring interment at Gooderham Cemetery.

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Thank-You

To my many good friends, for their prayers, get well wishes, phone calls, visits and gifts, and help in many other ways, during my stay in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough, and while convalescing at home. They all helped tremendously. I don't think the Editor will give me enough space, to name each one of you, but I am sure all you special people, will know this little message is meant especially for you.

Sincerely
Alma Armstrong
(Gerry)

My deepest appreciation to all my friends and neighbours for their thoughts, prayers and lovely cards.

Special thanks to Rev. Denny who took the time to visit me at the Civic Hospital in Peterborough and to Dr. Good and nurses at the Red Cross Hospital in Haliburton for their kindness and excellent care.

Cecil Robinson

The family of Hazel Alsop would like to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to the Hyland Crest Senior Citizen Home, Mr. Gordon Monk of John Welch and Son Funeral Home; Dr. Good, Rev. D. Nicholson for his comforting message and to all our friends and relatives who sent cards, flowers, donations to the heart fund and to those who called at the funeral parlour.

Coming Events

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Albert Sanderson

BIRTHS

KEEFER - Ross and Isabel (nee Anderson) are pleased to announce the safe arrival of their son Timothy Edward Charles born February 15, 1977, weighing 8 lbs. 1 1/2 ozs. A brother for Jamie.

Many thanks to Dr. Heyes and the nursing staff of Haliburton Red Cross Hospital.

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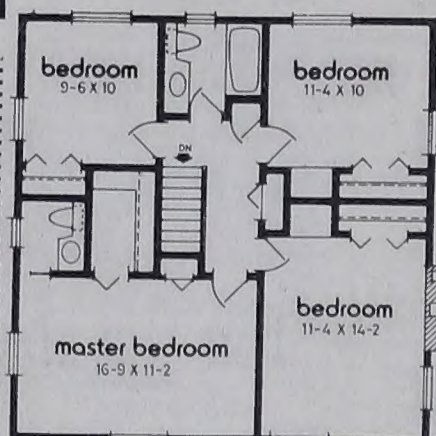
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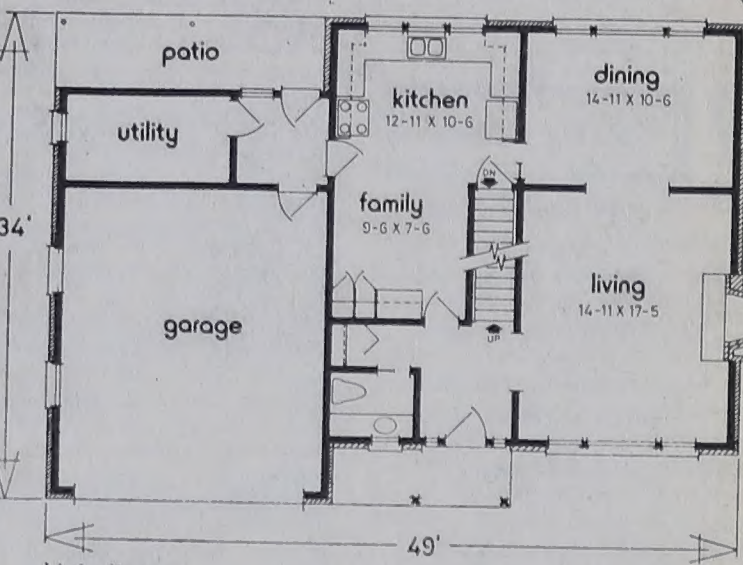
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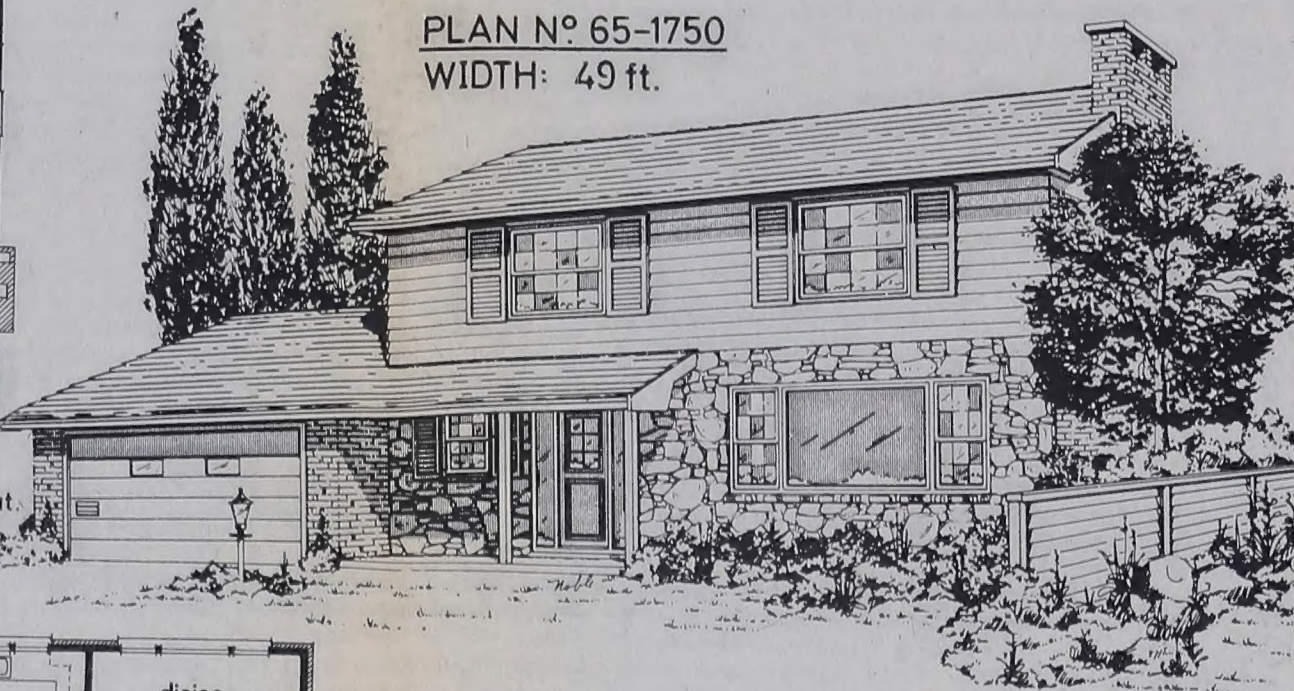


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The living room features a picture window at the front, which is duplicated at the rear in the dining room. The walls forming the arch between the two rooms could be eliminated to form one large room, or even better, an attractive room divider with built in shelves could be substituted. Of course, the dining area would still be situated close to the kitchen entrance. A cosy conversation grouping of furniture could be arranged around the wood burning fireplace.

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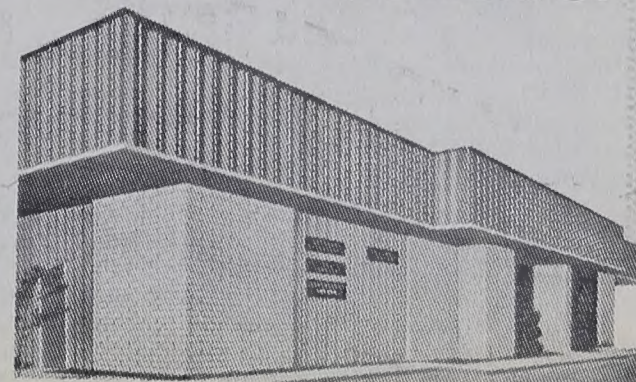


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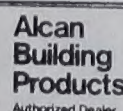
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